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presents statements of candidates for office requested in a questionnaire sent to them. The information is in the candidates' own words and is listed in the order in which their names will appear on the March 13 ballot. 1965?

Questions submitted to candidates were:

1. Name, address, and age
2. Education, training and experience that qualify you for this office
3. Duties of this office which interest you most and your reasons for seeking this office (limited to 100 words).

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE CANDIDATES

For Three-Year Term (Three Vacancies)

LEON K. PURINGTON, (incumbent) Linebrook Road. Age 34.

Education: Rowley Elementary, Ipswich High, Beverly Trade School.

Served three years on Ipswich School Committee.

I am interested in being on the School Committee to work to give all the children in Ipswich the best education possible, at the smallest cost possible to the taxpayers.

FRANCIS (FRANK) J. AMARO, Essex Road at Lakeman's Lane. Age 34.

Education: Peabody public schools; B. S., Boston College; M. S., Tufts University; special studies at Eliot Pearson in related fields of education and administration. Director of Gray Knoll School; salesmanager of an automotive parts wholesale firm. Married to the former Hattie E. Safstrom of Ipswich and father of four children, three attending various levels of Ipswich schools.

I wish to serve on the School Committee to represent all the people of Ipswich by working to provide a quality education for our children and a balanced economic program for our community.

I know Ipswich can have quality education by maintaining a good administrative personnel, attract and keep a good faculty and constantly improve our curriculum. To attain these necessary provisions for good education we obviously must have necessary school housing.

I promise vigorous study and action on all these issues always keeping in mind the economic interest of the people. Quality education does not require reckless spending.

RUSSELL E. DREIKORN, Topsfield Road. Age 44.

Education: Public Schools of Newark, N. J.; A. B. Drew University, Madison, N. J., 1942; Ph. D. Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn, 1950; Member Phi Lambda Upsilon (honors in Chemistry) and Sigma Xi (honors in Science); Substitute Instructor in Chemistry at The Morristown School, Morristown, N. J., 1942; Chemistry Instructor Navy V-12 Unit, Drew University, 1942-1946, and at B.P.I., 1946-1950. Experienced in Ipswich school affairs through three years as Chairman of the Winthrop School Building Committee; duties included working with the State School Building Assistance Committee, the Ipswich School Committee and other Town Officials. American Chemical Society representative to the Ipswich Science Department, Industry-School liaison to provide the means to borrow specialized apparatus for classroom instruction, to plan and organize student tours of scientific industries and laboratories, and group discussion with science students on opportunities in science. Present position, Lead Scientist, Missile Research, Avco Research and Advanced Development, Wilmington, Mass.

I want to serve as a school committeeman so that I can help to set a school policy that will guarantee Ipswich children the maximum in educational opportunity, in adequate school housing for every dollar spent.

EDWARD P. KOZENESKI, Linebrook Road. Age 32.

Education: Ipswich Public Schools.

Life long resident of Ipswich. Taxpayer. Member of School Building Needs Committee.

I wish to help the people of Ipswich retain control of the schools their taxes pay for. I am against surrendering control of school budget and policy to administrative heads who are here today and gone tomorrow. If elected I will endeavor to shape school policy in accordance with the wishes of the tax-paying majority. If elected I will use a vigorous and commonsense approach to all School Committee problems.

A sincere and intelligent approach to school budget and administrative problems cannot help but result in a sound educational system for the children of Ipswich.

FRANKLIN GOLDTHWAITE SHERRILL, 3 High Street. Age 32.

Education: B. A., Yale University, 1949; B. D., Episcopal Theological School, 1953.

Rector: St. John's Church, Dickinson, N. D., five years. While there was chairman of the building program for new church and parish house. Chairman of the Board of Trustees of St. Luke's Tri-State Hospital for three years. Rector: Ascension Memorial Church, Ipswich, since June of 1958. Have been actively interested in the guidance program of the schools, as a chaplain of the Juvenile Court, and in the Recreation Department sponsored Teen-Age Club. Married and have three children.

I believe that we must exert every effort to attract and keep the best teachers with the deepest sense of their vocation. I believe that we must give them the best tools. This will cost money.

I believe that Ipswich citizens are willing to pay the price if assured it means better education for their children.

I shall exert what influence I have toward building a new school — toward the co-operation of as many people of divergent views as necessary to make this possible, and for the kind of administration whose primary aim will be education and secondary aim, economy.

NANCY L. THOMPSON (Mrs. Daniel P.), Argilla Road. Age 26.

Education: I attended schools in La Mesa, Calif. and Hingham, Mass., graduated from Milton Academy, Milton, Mass., and studied at Wellesley College and at the Night School of George Washington University in Washington, D. C.

For the past three years I have regularly attended the meetings of the Board of Selectmen. To learn about the problems of the schools of Ipswich, I have, during the past year, attended meetings of the School Committee and of the School Building Needs Committee. I have found an opportunity, through membership in the local and central chapters of the Massachusetts Council for Public Schools, to discuss these problems with some of the people concerned with the education of the children of Ipswich and of other Massachusetts towns. Next fall two of my three children will be at school in Ipswich.

I believe that the success of both our children and our town depends upon our having an excellent school system, and that the greatest asset which a school system can have is the sympathy and support of the people it serves. To gain this support, the School Committee and administration must be responsive to the needs and interests of individual parents and children and must show a genuine concern for the taxpayer. If elected, I will try to consult with as many interested citizens as possible so their views may be more closely reflected in the policies of their schools.

SELECTMAN CANDIDATES

For Three-Year Term (Two Vacancies)

NATHANIEL M. QUINT (incumbent), 24 Kimball Avenue. Age 63.

Education: Massachusetts College of Pharmacy; extension courses at Boston University.

Served as Selectman in Ipswich and adjacent town for 27 years, of which I was chairman of the Board of Selectmen for 22 years. Served as Town Manager in Ipswich for over one year.

I am a substantial taxpayer in Ipswich and deeply interested in all phases of municipal government, having dedicated over a quarter of a century of my life in public office and civic affairs, as well as having served on numerous boards and committees pertaining to Town Government, coupled with over 40 years actively engaged in business.

With the rapid growth of the Town and its serious problems, my experience and interest should be of great importance to you in my seeking re-election as your Selectman.

JOHN W. TRUDEL (incumbent), 6 Meeting House Green. Age 51.

I was born in Ipswich, March 31, 1909. My wife is the former Ellen Nugent of Boston and Lismore, Ireland. We are the parents of eight children.

My education background as presented to you three years ago has not changed, but the wealth of knowledge in town government which I have received in the past 3 years, more than qualifies me to serve you again.

As a member of the board of selectmen for the past three years I always kept in mind to use my judgment, in voting, for the safety and welfare of the town and all its citizens.

I have served you all, honestly, without prejudice, sincerely. I stand on my record.

STANLEY E. EUSTACE, 25 High Street. Age 44.

Education: Ipswich Public Schools.

Member of Recreation Committee for five years. Former Chairman of old Playground Committee for 15 years. Former Deputy Shellfish Commissioner for 4 years. Present member of Ipswich Housing Authority. Sponsor of Little League. Ipswich Call Fireman for 21 years. Member of various civic organizations.

As a Selectman, I feel that a Board member should be an active member just the same as any member of a company's board of directors: always willing to cooperate and compromise for the good of Ipswich, but not a complete rubber stamp for any particular group or interest. The future will be faced with many serious problems calling for action and progress, but these must be tempered with economy.

If I become Selectman, I will always work for the best interests of our entire town just as I have exerted maximum effort for Ipswich youth all these past years.

DANIEL B. LUNT, JR., Labor-in-Vain Road. Age 35.

Education: Dartmouth College, major in Business Administration.

Member: Zoning Board of Appeals. Trustee: Cable Memorial Hospital. Chairman: Ipswich Republican Town Committee.

Our most important need is a Master Plan. For too long needs of the Town have been met in hit or miss fashion resulting in extremely high taxes. Only long range planning can solve tax and community problems. Schools, roads, sewerage, water and electricity need special attention even at our present level of population and with an expected population increase the next few years these problems will become even greater. Countless tax dollars will be wasted if we don't carefully anticipate our needs and plan accordingly.

Economy, efficiency, and planning must become watchwords if we are to grow in coming years.

ELWYN F. MC CARTHY, 27 Masconomet Road. Age 54.

Education: Graduate of the Bentley School of Accounting and Finance.

Fifteen years as a Public Accountant. Treasurer and Collector for town of Ipswich 1941-1944 and 1950-1951. Interim Town Manager 1950. Interim Executive Secretary July-October 1960.

During the short period that I served as Executive Secretary many times I called attention to what I considered a complete lack of planning in many departments of the town. Some of these conditions are now in the process of being corrected, principally the water and sewer departments. The Budget presentation has been changed in some respects.

If elected to the Board of Selectmen, I will continue to analyze and recommend changes that should give the Town greater efficiency and more value for the tax dollar.

FRANK SLYSZ, Winter Street. Age 45.

Education: Attended local and Boston schools.

Lifelong resident of Ipswich.

For the past ten years this town of ours has been slowly deteriorating to something to the liking of Chelsea. Our roads stink, our schools could be better. Our town government plods along to the tune of horse and carriage days.

With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right as God gives us to see the right, I will strive to make Ipswich a town that we and our children will be proud of.

If I find it necessary to fight all the politicians in this town to accomplish this end, I stand ready to do so.

IPSWICH HOUSING AUTHORITY

For Five-Year Term (One Vacancy)

DONALD CARTER HAZEN (incumbent), 26 Turkey Shore Road. Age 40.

Education: Graduate of Ipswich High School, Class of 1938.

I first served on the Ipswich Housing Authority in 1956-57. I was re-appointed to the Housing Authority in 1959 by the Board of Selectmen to fill a vacancy caused by a resignation. I was elected to this unexpired term in 1960. This is the office for which I seek re-election in 1961.

As a veteran of World War II, in which I served with the 2nd Marine Division, I have been very interested in and active in all veterans affairs, one of which is Veterans Housing which constitutes the majority of the units administered by the Ipswich Housing Authority.

JOHN G. THATCHER, JR., 17 Upper River Road. Age 32.

Education: Beverly High School, Beverly, Mass. Burdett College, Lynn, Mass., with a certificate in accounting and business administration. Northeastern University Night School, Boston, Mass.

I am at present employed with the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. as a communications consultant. I have taken an active part in the Greater Ipswich Junior Chamber of Commerce and have served on many committees. Also, I was elected as chairman of the Board of Directors. I have also been connected with the Auxiliary Fire Department for the past four years and have been elected captain for the past two years.

I have lived in Ipswich for the past eight years and have taken an active part in civic and town affairs.

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ROSTER OF TOWN OFFICIALS AND COMMITTEES

ELECTED

TOWN MODERATOR		SCHOOL COMMITTEE	
Harold E. Shively	Term Expires 1974	Paul Gahm, Chairman	Term Expires 1975
		Marie L. Scudder	1975
		James Collins	1975
		Patricia Manning	1974
		Edwin H. Damon, Jr.	1974
		Peter R. Greer	1976
		Walter Pojasek	1976
BOARD OF SELECTMEN		HOUSING AUTHORITY	
Joseph A. Navarro, Chairman	1975	Arthur B. Weagle, Chairman	1976
Charles K. Cobb, Jr.	1974	John G. Thatcher, Jr.	1978
Paul J. Gillespie	1974	Glenfred A. Wanzer	1974
Edward Kozeneski	1975	Stanley E. Eustace	1975
John M. Pickard	1976	Alexander Bernhard (State Member)	1976
		Jane Bokron, Director	
CONSTABLE			
Bernie Spencer	1974		

APPOINTED

FINANCE COMMITTEE		SHELLFISH ADVISORY BOARD	
Elected At Town Meeting		Charles R. Terrell, Chairman	1974
Charles C. Dalton, Chairman	1974	Andrew Gianakakis	1974
Edward L. Nagus	1976	Edward Paquin	1974
Roger A. Burke	1975	Joseph Kmiec	1974
Appointed By Moderator		Joseph Lauderowicz	1974
Mary P. Conley	1974	Thomas Dorman	1974
T. Lincoln Morison, Jr.	1975	Richard Sheppard	1974
Robert E. Waite	1976	James Carter	1974
Appointed By Selectmen		Philip Kent	1974
David W. Scudder	1974		
George Tsoutsouras	1975		
Thomas Emery	1976		
TOWN MANAGER		TREE WARDEN	
Leonard J. Silvia	1976	Armand T. Michaud	1975
TOWN TREASURER		BOARD OF HEALTH	
George C. Mourikas	1974	William C. Wigglesworth, M.D., Chairman	1975
		Dr. Joseph W. Adamowicz	1974
		Edward B. Marsh, M.D.	1976
		Edwin Bronk, Agent	1974
TOWN ACCOUNTANT		CEMETERY COMMISSION	
Robert H. Leet	1976	Leon B. Turner, Chairman	1976
		Gordon C. Player	1974
		Nicholas A. Markos	1975
		Walter H. Hulbert, Jr., Supt.	
TOWN CLERK		TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS	
Harold G. Comeau	1974	Mark J. Apsey	1975
		Peter Owsiak	1976
		John T. Beagen	1974
REGISTRARS OF VOTERS		TOWN COUNSEL	
Barbara J. Rousseau	1976	F. Dale Vincent, Jr.	1974
John R. Logan	1975		
John Kobos	1974		
Harold G. Comeau, Clerk			
BOARD OF ASSESSORS		BUILDING INSPECTOR	
Varnum S. Pedrick	1975	Ralph Hebert	1974
William R. Lewis	1976		
John D. Heaphy	1974		
SHELLFISH CONSTABLE		PLANNING BOARD	
Arthur Moon	1975	Jason A. Sokolov, Chairman	1978
		John P. Prosser	1974
		George A. Nikas	1975
		Curtis R. Tuttle	1977
		George Rene Mathey	1976

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

James Theodosopoulos, Chairman	1977
Hollie A. Bucklin, Vice Chairman	1976
Daniel B. Lunt, Jr.	1975
Harold Perley	1978
Thaddeus Maciejowski	1974
Sharon Josephson, Alternate	1974
William Murphy, Alternate	1974

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Frederic Winthrop, Jr., Chairman	1974
William C. Hickling	1975
Costos Tsoutsouris	1976
Sarah L. Weatherall	1976
Dr. Robert L. Goodale	1974
William E. George	1975
Andrew G. Connor	1975

**ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL
DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

Louis Joslyn	1976
Terrance R. McSweeney	1975
Peter W. Williamson	1974
Thomas B. Emery	1974
Dale E. Dudgeon	1975
Laurien A. Levesque, Jr.	1976

RECREATION & PARKS COMMITTEE

Charles J. Foley, Chairman	1974
Elizabeth J. Geanakakis	1975
Eleanor Knowles	1974
Frederick J. Jenkins	1976
Douglas P. Holland	1975
James H. Daly, Director	1974

GOVERNMENT STUDY COMMITTEE

Irving Small, Chairman	1974
Jacob Israelsohn	1974
William H. Smith	1974
John Eby	1974
Gordon Burlingham	1974
Peter Zervas	1974
Alfred D. Castantini	1974
Jessie Girard	1974
Maryruth Williamson	1974

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

John R. Harrigan	1974
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HISTORICAL COMMISSION

John F. Conley	1976
Barbara C. Emberly	1975
Louise B. Hodgkins	1975
George R. Mathey	1975
Lovell Thompson	1976
John H. Updike	1974
Alice Keenan	1976

MOSQUITO CONTROL COMMISSION

Alice Keenan, Chairman	1974
Cynthia A. Burns	1974
Harold Balch	1974
Herbert Brack	1974
V. Byron Bennett	1974
George W. Pacheco	1974
Lawrence E. Cummings	1974

MBTA ADVISORY COMMITTEE

John C. Vincent, Jr., Chairman	1974
Harold F. Balch	1974
Bruce R. Ball	1974
Raymond S. Barrows	1974
Leland Carter	1974
Charles K. Cobb, Jr.	1974
Cornelius Cleary	1974
James C. McManaway	1974
Robert K. Weatherall	1974
Robert B. Waldner	1974
Mrs. Doris Greenlaw	1974
Alan Sherr	1974

ELECTRIC ADVISORY BOARD

John H. Ward, Chairman	1974
Carter B. Hart, Sr.	1974
Alexander A. Sweenie, Jr.	1974
George H. Bouchard	1974
Lawrence R. Sweetser	1974
George E. Taylor	1974
Thomas A. Ercoline, Jr.	1974
Alan Whitehead	1974
John A. Pechilis	1974

SCHOOL BUILDING NEEDS COMMITTEE

Joseph McGee
Patricia Manning
William M. Craft
Peter R. Greer
Thomas B. Emery
Alfred J. Kotek
Gordon Player, Jr.

YOUTH COMMISSION

Cathleen McGinley, Director	
Brother Robert Russell, Chairman	1976
David Baldwin	1974
Deborah Hovey	1975
Janet Chapman	1975
Robert Wickstrom	1976
Thomas Gregory III	1976
Ann Horsman	1976

SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES

Ralph M. O'Brien	1974
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WIRING INSPECTOR

Alfred Tobiasz	1974
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GAS INSPECTOR

Glenfred A. Wanzer	1974
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PLUMBING INSPECTOR

A.N.D. Hyde	1974
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ALTERNATE PLUMBING INSPECTOR

Rene Rathe	1974
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BELL RINGER

Harold Bowen	1974
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INSECT PEST CONTROL SUPERINTENDENT

Armand Michaud	1975
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DOG OFFICER

Irene Finnegan	1974
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HARBOR MASTER

Pete George	1974
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ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

ESSEX, SS.

To the Constable of the Town of Ipswich in said County.

GREETINGS:

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Ipswich qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the Ipswich High School in said Ipswich on

MONDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF MARCH, 1973
at 7:30 o'clock in the evening to act on the following articles viz:

Moderator Harry Munro called the meeting to order at 7:30 announcing that over 500 people were present, and the quorum needed was 353. A final count showed 1183 voters in attendance.

The following tellers were appointed by the Moderator: Mark Apsey, John Pechilis, Harold Shively, William J. Murphy, Joseph H. Landrie, and Joseph Hinckley.

A Salute to the Flag was led by Town Clerk Harold G. Comeau.

The Invocation was given by Father Francis Hogan, curate of St. Joseph's Church.

Town Clerk Comeau read the opening and closing paragraphs of the Warrant and the Constable's Return.

Selectmen chairman Joseph Navarro called Moderator Munro to the main floor podium to present him with a plaque, a token of appreciation for many years of service and contributions to the Town of Ipswich. This plaque was presented on behalf of the Selectmen and the Town Manager, and Mr. Munro received a standing ovation.



Harry Munro, 1973 Annual Town Meeting Moderator receives a gavel plaque from Joseph Navarro, Board of Selectmen Chairman, for his many years of service to the Town.

(Ipswich Today)

Article 1: To fix the salary and compensation of all elected town officers.

Moved by Mr. Joseph Navarro that the salary and compensation of all elected officers be fixed as in the 1973 budget. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 2: To choose the following officers, viz:

Moderator for one (1) year

One (1) Selectman for three (3) years

Constable for one (1) year

Two (2) Members of the School Committee for three (3) years

One (1) Member of the Housing Authority for five (5) years

And to vote "Yes" or "No" to the following questions:

Question No. 1

"Shall this town approve the Charter Amendments to the Town Charter, Chapter 620 of the Acts of 1966, proposed by the Annual Town Meeting, March 6, 1972, by amending Section 22 of the Charter entitled 'Electric Light Department' as follows: by striking out the words 'to whom the Board of Selectmen shall delegate its duties and responsibilities as electric light commissioners' and inserting the words 'who shall be responsible to the Board of Selectmen as electric light commissioners', this amendment, if approved by a majority of the voters, to take effect upon certification of the balloting by the Town Clerk?"

Question No. 2

"Shall this town approve the Charter Amendments to the Town Charter, Chapter 620 of the Acts of 1966, proposed by the Annual Town Meeting, March 6, 1972, by amending Section 21 of the Charter entitled 'Department of Public Works' as follows: by deleting the words 'water commissioners, sewer commissioners' from the second sentence of said section and adding the following sentence: 'The Board of Selectmen shall assume all the powers and duties heretofore delegated to the Water Commissioners and Sewer Commissioners,' and by striking the word 'he' at the beginning of the third sentence of said section and replacing it by the words 'The Town Manager', this amendment, if approved by a majority of the voters, to take effect upon certification of the balloting by the Town Clerk?"

The above article to be voted on one ballot at their respective polling places as follows:

Precinct 1 Ipswich Junior High School, Green Street

Precinct 2 Winthrop School, Central Street

Precinct 3 Ipswich High School, High Street

Precinct 4 Burley School, Mount Pleasant Avenue

on Monday, March 12, 1973. The polls shall open at 10 A.M. and close at 8 P.M.

No action required.

Article 3: To choose one member of the Finance Committee to serve for three (3) years.

Moved by Mr. William Markos that Edward Nagus be nominated to serve on the Finance Committee for three years. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 4: To hear and act upon the report of the Finance Committee, and raise and appropriate and transfer money for the ensuing year, including the compensation of elected town officers.

Moved by Mr. William Markos that the sum of \$7,762,791.00 be raised and appropriated for the purposes hereinafter designated in the Finance Committee report:

1. For the Operating Budget	\$2,688,894.00
of this:	
\$35,000.00	from Overlay Surplus to the Reserve Fund
271.91	from Highway Machinery Fund
30,579.04	from Sewer Receipts Reserve
1,590.28	from County Dog Refund
3,570.00	from Water Pollution Control Fund
67,000.00	from Surplus Revenue
734.80	from Premium on Loans
50,515.26	from Highway Ch. 58
7,000.00	from Cemetery Perpetual Care Reimbursement
300.00	from Cemetery Flower Fund Reimbursement
200.00	from Trustees of Reservation
50.00	from the Ecology Fund

Available funds are \$196,811.29 leaving \$2,492,082.71 to be raised and assessed. This sum provides for an increase of \$31,689.00 in the Reserve Fund to adjust certain salaries.

Also for the Operating Budget I move that \$600,000.00 be appropriated from the Revenue Sharing Trust Fund for the following purposes:

\$10,000.00	for Planning Board Expenses
30,000.00	for Town Manager Salaries
10,000.00	for Town Manager Expenses
10,000.00	for Police Department Expenses
10,000.00	for Police Department Capital
10,000.00	for Fire Department Expenses
20,000.00	for Garbage Collection
40,000.00	for Rubbish Collection
30,000.00	for Dump Maintenance
50,000.00	for Highway Department Salaries
20,000.00	for Highway Department Expenses
20,000.00	for Equipment Maintenance Expenses
20,000.00	for Snow & Ice Control Salaries
20,000.00	for Snow & Ice Control Rentals
10,000.00	for Snow & Ice Rentals
20,000.00	for Forestry Salaries
10,000.00	for Forestry Department Capital Outlay
30,000.00	for Recreation Department Salaries
10,000.00	for Recreation Department Expenses
30,000.00	for Cemetery Department Salaries
20,000.00	for Workmen's Compensation
40,000.00	for Package Insurance
10,000.00	for Fire Building
60,000.00	for Police Department Salaries
60,000.00	for Fire Department Salaries

Total: \$600,000.00

2. For the Library Budget	\$102,443.00
of this:	
\$ 4,031.25	from Library Aid Reserve
Leaving: 98,411.75	to be raised and assessed
Change reflects payroll adjustment of \$300.00	

3. For the School Budget	\$4,371,454.00
to be raised and appropriated as hereinafter designated:	
Administration	\$ 122,445.00
Instruction	3,293,489.00
Other School Services & Athletics	488,040.00
Operation & Maintenance of Plant	366,380.00
Fixed Charges	45,345.00
Acquisition of Fixed Assets	51,069.00
Programs with Other Districts	4,686.00

of this:	
\$ 7,500.00	from the Feofees
6,493.00	from PL 874
leaving: \$4,357,461	to be raised and assessed.
This reflects a recommended reduction of \$84,500.00 in the following categories:	
Administration	\$ 1,000.00
Instruction	60,000.00
Other School Services	23,500.00
Total	\$84,500.00

I. OPERATING BUDGET

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

1. MODERATOR	
Salary	\$ 150
Expenses	40
Capital Outlay	—
Total	190
2. SELECTMEN	
Salaries & Wages	9,942
Expenses	5,342
Capital Outlay	600
Total	15,884
3. FINANCE COMMITTEE	
Salaries & Wages	150
Expenses	2,150
Capital Outlay	—
Total	2,300
4. PLANNING BOARD	
Salaries & Wages	825
Expenses	16,990
Capital Outlay	100
Total	17,915
5. ELECTIONS AND REGISTRATION	
Salaries & Wages	8,700
Expenses	4,565
Capital Outlay	—
Total	13,265

6. APPEALS BOARD		19. YOUTH COMMISSION	
Salaries & Wages	270	Salaries & Wages	15,230
Expenses	255	Expenses	13,660
Capital Outlay	125	Capital Outlay	—
Total	650	Total	28,890
7. TOWN MANAGER		TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT	\$ 346,660
Salaries & Wages	50,786		
Expenses	23,500	PUBLIC SAFETY	
Capital Outlay	3,375		
Total	77,661	20. POLICE DEPT.	
8. ACCOUNTANT		Salaries & Wages	
Salaries & Wages	39,164	Chief	
Expenses	10,702	Base	24,851
Capital Outlay	—	Incentive	2,485
Total	49,866	Holiday	956
9. TREASURER & COLLECTOR		Total	28,292
Salaries & Wages	44,910	Sergeants (3)	
Expenses	5,350	Base	46,098
Capital Outlay	1,025	Incentive	1,525
Total	51,240	Holiday	1,813
10. ASSESSORS		Total	49,436
Salaries & Wages	36,855	Patrolmen (13)	
Expenses	4,819	Base	177,190
Capital Outlay	685	Incentive	6,990
Total	42,359	Holiday	6,631
11. TOWN CLERK		Total	190,811
Salaries & Wages	18,402	Patrolmen, New (1)	
Expenses	1,485	Base	8,252
Capital Outlay	325	Incentive	—
Total	20,212	Holiday	275
12. LEGAL DEPT.		Total	8,527
Salaries & Wages	16,603	Overtime	17,500
Expenses	555	Shift Differential	3,034
Capital Outlay	—	Court Fees	9,000
Total	17,158	Other Salaries	4,669
13. ENGINEER		Total Salaries	311,269
Salaries & Wages	—	Expenses	16,460
Expenses	—	Capital Outlay	10,310
Capital Outlay	—	Total	338,039
Total	—		
14. INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION		21. FIRE DEPT.	
Salaries & Wages	150	Salaries & Wages	
Expenses	1,075	Chief	
Capital Outlay	125	Base	25,671
Total	1,350	Incentive	—
15. HISTORICAL COMMISSION		Holiday	988
Expenses	450	Total	26,659
16. CONSERVATION COMMISSION		Captains (3)	
Salaries & Wages	750	Base	46,480
Expenses	1,180	Incentive	—
Capital Outlay	5,000	Holiday	1,788
Total	6,930	Total	48,268
17. HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION		Firefighters (12)	
Expenses	340	Base	167,652
18. NUCLEAR ADVISORY		Incentive	400
Expenses	—	Holiday	6,410
		Total	174,462
		Firefighters, New (2, July)	
		Base	17,048
		Incentive	—
		Holiday	721
		Total	17,769
		Overtime	8,264
		Call Lieutenants (3)	2,835
		Call Operator (1)	945
		Call Men (26)	20,475

Other Salaries	— —
Total Salaries	299,677
Expenses	14,470
Capital Outlay	9,700
Total	323,847
22. CIVIL DEFENSE	
Salaries & Wages	2,050
Expenses	1,550
Capital Outlay	1,175
Total	4,775
23. SHELLFISH	
Salaries & Wages	14,902
Expenses	11,200
Capital Outlay	— —
Total	26,102
24. HARBORS	
Salaries & Wages	3,000
Expenses	800
Total	3,800
25. BUILDING INSPECTOR	
Salaries & Wages	10,745
Expenses	1,320
Capital Outlay	100
Total	12,165
TOTAL PUBLIC SAFETY	708,728

HEALTH & SANITATION

26. TOWN HEALTH AGENT	
Salaries & Wages	23,162
Expenses	16,333
Capital Outlay	— —
Total	39,495
27. OUTSIDE CONTRACTS	
Garbage Collection	42,000
Rubbish Collection	80,000
Dump Maintenance	54,000
Total	176,000
TOTAL HEALTH & SANITATION	215,495

VETERANS SERVICES

28. VETERANS BENEFITS	
Salaries & Wages	— —
Expenses	216,750
Total	216,750

PUBLIC WORKS

29. ADMINISTRATION	
Salaries & Wages	18,771
Expenses	3,335
Capital Outlay	— —
Total	22,106

30. BUILDING DIVISION

a. Town Hall	
Salaries & Wages	10,369
Expenses	9,900
Capital Outlay	5,000
Total	25,269
b. Memorial Building	
Salaries & Wages	— —
Expenses	3,765
Total	3,765
c. Sewer Building	
Expenses	760
d. Fire Building	
Expenses	4,300
Capital Outlay	17,000
Total	21,300
e. Town Garage	
Expenses	3,960
Capital Outlay	750
Total	4,710
f. Cemetery Buildings	
Expenses	730
Capital Outlay	370
Total	1,100
g. Park Buildings	
Expenses	1,400
Rent	3,600
Capital Outlay	— —
Total	5,000
h. Library Building	
Expenses	3,455
Capital Outlay	600
Total	4,055

31. HIGHWAY DIVISION

Salaries & Wages	110,160
Expenses	124,260
Capital Outlay	27,500
Total	261,920

32. EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE

Salaries & Wages	26,470
Expenses	55,620
Capital Outlay	900
Total	82,990

33. SNOW & ICE CONTROL

Salaries & Wages	28,000
Expenses	32,500
Outside Rentals	18,000
Total	78,500

34. FORESTRY

Salaries & Wages	55,857
Expenses	18,435
Capital Outlay	18,600
Total	92,892

35. SEWER

Salaries & Wages	27,790
Expenses	15,795
Capital Outlay	— —
Total	43,585

TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS

647,952

RECREATION & PARKS

36. RECREATION & PARKS

Salaries & Wages	75,121
Expenses	18,070
Capital Outlay	8,250
Total	101,441

CEMETERIES

37. CEMETERIES

Salaries & Wages	72,380
Expenses	11,434
Capital Outlay	4,000
Total	87,814

INSURANCE

38. INSURANCE

Workmen's Compensation	38,000
Package Insurance	61,000
Public Officials Bond	1,400
Fire & Police	3,000
Total	103,400

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

39. BENEFITS

Military Service Credits	20,000
County Retirement System	242,195
Health & Life	90,000
Other	—
Total	352,195

DEBT SERVICE

40. DEBT SERVICE

Payment of Interest	102,590
Payment of Principal	294,000
Total	396,590

UNCLASSIFIED

41. ENCUMBRANCES

42. RESERVE FUND

43. BOND ISSUE COSTS

44. INTEREST ON TAX ANTICIPATION

Total	80,000
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TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET

3,257,025

II. LIBRARY

45. LIBRARY OPERATING

Salaries & Wages	76,613
Expenses	23,830
Capital Outlay	1,700
Total	102,143

III. SCHOOL

46. SCHOOL BUDGET*

Administration	122,445
Instruction	3,293,489
Other School Services & Athletics	488,040
Oper. & Maint. of Plant	366,380
Fixed Charges	45,345
Acquisition of Fixed Assets	51,069
Programs with Other Districts	4,686
Encumbrances from Other Years	—
Total	4,371,454

SUMMARY OF BUDGETS I, II, & III \$7,730,622

*Does not include Whittier Vocational
Expenditure made by Article \$488,972

The total of all recommended budgets is \$7,762,791.06

The total available funds are 214,835.54

The Revenue Sharing Trust Fund
appropriations are 600,000.00

The total to be raised and assessed is \$6,947,955.46

Mr. Markos spoke at length on the budget, referring particularly to the proposed cut to the school budget. He explained that the majority of the Finance Committee thought the school budget excessive. Mr. Charles Passales recommended that the budget be voted on as one motion, and Mr. Markos replied that it was one motion. Mr. George Geanakis was assured by Town Counsel Vincent that the cut was legal, that the Finance Committee was under no obligation to agree with the School Committee, and that the School Committee or ten taxpayers' petition could get a court order to borrow the money on the town's credit to be paid back with an added 25 percent.

Mrs. M. L. Scudder, Chairman of the Ipswich School Committee, then moved that the previous motion be amended to read that the sum of \$4,439,954.00 be appropriated to provide an amount of money sufficient for the support of the Public Schools as required by Chapter 71, Section 34 of the General Laws. Seconded. Mrs. Scudder continued to explain that the School Committee had already cut the school budget, leaving what they thought to be a sensible budget. Superintendent of Schools John Stella, Principals Joseph Rogers and William Waitt all spoke against the cut, explaining that all possible reductions had already been made.

Charles Passales moved the question. Seconded. Majority voice vote. The amendment presented by Mrs. Scudder required a hand count and was defeated with 419 voting in the affirmative, 539 opposed. A two-thirds vote or 638 was needed to carry the motion.

The main motion carried with 777 voting in the affirmative, 83 opposed.

Article 5: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue for the financial years

beginning January 1, 1973 and January 1, 1974 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

Moved by Mr. Navarro that the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue for the financial year beginning January 1, 1973, to June 30, 1974, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote. Motion carried. Finance Committee recommended.

Article 6: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the current expense of the Water Department, the same to be paid from revenues by the Water Department during the year 1973, and to see what action the Town will take in regard to surplus funds.

Moved by Mr. Charles Cobb that the Town raise and appropriate a sum of \$303,661.05 for the current expenses of the Water Department; the same to be paid from revenues by the Water Department during the fiscal year January 1, 1973 to June 30, 1974, and further that the sum of \$2,088.95 be transferred from the Water Surplus. Seconded. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote. Finance Committee recommended.

Article 7: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of promotion of the Town of Ipswich, an equal sum to be made available for said purpose from the Chamber of Commerce.

Moved by Mrs. Betty Cole that \$700.00 be appropriated to be used in conjunction with a matching sum of the Chamber of Commerce of Ipswich for the purpose of the promotion of the Town of Ipswich. Seconded. Finance Committee recommended. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 8: To see what action the Town will take to the transfer of any surplus funds in the Electric Light Department.

Moved by Mr. Ed Kozeneski that the sum of \$40,000.00 be transferred from the surplus fund in the Electric Operations Account to the Surplus Revenue Account of the General Fund of the Town of Ipswich to be used in reducing the tax rate, and the remaining sum of \$826.13 to be transferred to the Electric Construction Account. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote. Finance Committee recommended.

Article 9: To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate to pay unpaid bills incurred in previous years and remaining unpaid.

Moved by Mr. Paul Gillespie that the sum of \$8,501.30 be appropriated to pay unpaid bills incurred in previous years and remaining unpaid, as follows:

Health	
Glenfred Wanzer	\$ 125.00
Town Clerk	
North Shore Weeklies	32.00
School	
Mrs. Marcia Fowler	41.09
Maynard Haley	24.00
Combustion Service Co.	42.00
DeChamps Printing Co.	492.00
Harcourt, Brace World	90.00
C. J. Lord	30.00
Building Inspector	
Building Code Administration	
International	15.25
Fire	
William Patterson	3.20
Town Garage	
Electric Dept.	40.92
Haverhill Gas Co.	123.85
Water	
Town of Ipswich	5,090.31
New England Telephone	88.00
James P. McCormack	11.00
Alco Engineering	155.30
Colcord & Sons, Inc.	1,358.30
Calgon Corp.	71.21
Fischer & Porter Co.	118.60
Civil Defense	
New England Telephone	127.97
Health	
Carleton Ambulance Service, Inc.	421.30
	\$8,501.30

Seconded. Finance Committee recommended. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 10: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for construction of roads under Chapter 90 of the General Laws.

Moved by Mr. Ed Kozeneski that the sum of \$39,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the construction of roads under Chapter 90 of the General Laws. Seconded. Finance Committee recommended. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 11: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Maintenance of roads under Chapter 90 of the General Laws.

Moved by Mrs. Cole that the sum of \$4,500.00 be raised and appropriated for the maintenance of roads under Chapter 90 of the General Laws. Seconded. Finance Committee recommended. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 12: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover the Town's Share of the annual planning, operating, and debt service expenses of the Whittier Regional Vocational Technical High School District.

Moved by Mr. Robert Weatherall that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$488,972.00 to pay the

Town's apportioned share of the planning, operating, and debt service expenses of the Whittier Regional Technical High School District for the fiscal year 1973-74. Seconded. Mr. Charles Dalton stated that the Finance Committee unanimously recommended passage of this article. The Board of Selectmen recommended this article. The motion carried with 939 voting in the affirmative, 1 in opposition.

Article 13: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to compensate landowners for proposed taking under eminent domain and Chapter 79 of the General Laws necessary for the widening and relocation of Linebrook Road and to determine whether such appropriations shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise or to take any other actions with respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. Joseph Navarro that Article 13 be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 13A: To see what action the Town will take in regards to Loans Authorized and remaining unissued.

Moved by Mrs. Cole to rescind the authorization of the following authorized, but unissued debt relating to projects already completed:

1. Linebrook School Addition — Article 6 STM 1-16-67, \$100,000.00
2. Jr. High School Repairs — Article 39 ATM 3-6-67, \$500.00
3. Fire Ladder Truck — Article 1 STM 3-6-72, \$60,000.00

Seconded. Finance Committee recommended. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

(At this point in the meeting, a group of unregistered guests, mostly students, were given permission to enter and observe the meeting.)

Article 14: To see whether the town will vote to amend the vote under Article 16 of the warrant for the 1971 Annual Town Meeting relating to the construction of sewers, sewage system and sewage treatment and disposal facilities, by eliminating the provision making borrowing contingent upon receipt of state and federal aid, or take any other action relative thereto.

Moved by Town Manager Richard Conti that the town vote by printed ballot on Monday, March 12, 1973, at the various precinct polling places, the polls being open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., on the following question:

Shall the town vote to amend the vote passed under Article 16 of the warrant for the 1971 Annual Town Meeting to read as follows:

"Voted: that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,600,000.00 for the construction of sewers, sewerage system and sewage treatment and disposal facilities; that to meet this appropriation, the sum of \$100,000.00 be transferred from Sewer Receipts Reserve, and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to issue \$3,500,000.00 bonds or notes of the Town under Chapter 44, Section 8 (15) of the General Laws, as amended; and the Town Manager with the approval of the Selectmen and/or Sewer Commissioners be authorized to carry out said project and to contract

for and expend State and Federal construction grants for the project provided that the Selectmen determine that at least 70 percent of the eligible cost of the project is available from such grant, and provided that the total authorized borrowing shall be reduced by the amount of any such State or Federal construction aid, and further, that the bond authorization voted under Article 16, Annual Town Meeting, March, 1971, is hereby rescinded." Seconded.

Mr. Charles Passales questioned the use of the words "rescinding" and "amending" but was assured by Mr. Conti and Town Counsel Vincent that the motion was correct as read. At the suggestion of Mr. John Bialek, Mr. Conti added the words "and/or Sewer Commissioners" after the words "approval of the Selectmen". Finance Committee recommended. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 15: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum from the Stabilization Fund.

Moved by Mr. William Markos that this article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 16: To see what action the Town will take to adopt revised general By-Laws for the Town of Ipswich as printed and on file at the Town Clerk's Office.

Moved by Mr. Charles Cobb that the Town adopt the proposed revised general by-laws of the Town of Ipswich, as recommended by the Government Study Committee, as printed and on file at the Town Clerk's office from February 7, 1973, and as published in the Ipswich Chronicle on February 15, 1973, with the following amendments:

1. In Chapter II, Section 1, paragraph (b), delete the word "fourteen" as it appears in the second line thereof and substitute the word "forty-five".

2. In Chapter II, Section 3, delete paragraph (b); and delete "(a)" as it appears at the beginning of paragraph (a).

3. In Chapter II, Section 6:

Delete the phrase "one percent of the total assessed valuation of real and personal property within the Town" as it appears beginning in the third line thereof, and substitute the phrase "five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000)"; delete the phrase "one tenth of one percent of the total assessed valuation of real and personal property within the Town" as it appears beginning in the sixth line thereof, and substitute the phrase "one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000)".

4. In Chapter XIV, Section 2:

Delete paragraph (b); delete paragraph (c) and substitute the following: "(b) Every keeper of a shop and every dealer licensed under this section shall keep adequate records of the source of merchandise purchased for the business."; change the designation of paragraph (d) to "(c)"; change the semicolon in the third line thereof to a period and delete the rest of the paragraph; change the designation of paragraph (e) to "(d)".

And I further move that the said proposed general by-laws shall be in lieu of the following by-laws

heretofore in force, which are hereby repealed: The 1937 By-Laws of the Town of Ipswich, As Amended, as last published in 1963, Chapters I-XVIII and "Additional By-Laws" as they appear in pages 5-32 of the 1963 edition, together with all additions and amendments thereto adopted by annual and special town meetings in 1964, 1965, and 1966. Seconded.

Amendment: Moved by Mr. William Markos that Chapter XIII of the proposed by-laws entitled "Use of Town Property" be amended by deleting Section 1-F, "Domesticated animals shall not be allowed to roam unrestrained in any of the parkland of the Town." Mr. Markos stated that this section was unnecessary since the leash law proposal was to be brought up later in the meeting. Seconded. The amendment carried by a unanimous voice vote.

Finance Committee recommended and Board of Selectmen recommended. The main motion, Article 16, was carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 17: To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of constructing an extension of the Sanitary Sewer System along County Road from its present terminus to Southern Heights and Southern Manor owned by Ipswich Housing Authority, and to provide funds therefore by borrowing or otherwise and to take appropriate action relative thereto including acceptance of funds from said Housing Authority towards accomplishment of this extension.

Moved by Mr. Glen Wanzer that the Town appropriate \$210,000.00 for the construction of sewers as an extension to the sanitary sewer system from its present terminus, vicinity of Town Hall, South Main Street, to County Road and along County Road to Southern Heights and Southern Manor as indicated by sewer master plan which has been on file in the Town Hall and which is displayed at this Meeting and including acquisition of necessary easements and to raise this appropriation the sum of \$5,000 be so transferred from the sewer receipts reserve fund, and that the sum of \$45,000 be accepted by the Town for this purpose from the Ipswich Housing Authority and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to issue \$160,000.00 of bonds or notes of the Town under the General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 8, as amended. The Town Manager with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to contract for and accept any Federal or state aid for this project provided that the total authorized borrowing shall be reduced by the amount of said aid. Seconded. The motion carried with 810 voting in the affirmative, 3 opposed. (Finance Comm. and Selectmen approved.)

Article 18: To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to construct additions and improvements, or alterations to the sanitary sewer system and authorize the Town Manager to apply and negotiate for such Federal and-or State aid as may be available, and to take any other action as shall be in the interest of the Town in improving and-or adding to the sanitary sewer system, and to see what method the Town will adopt to raise and appropriate such sum by borrowing or otherwise, or to take any action with respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. Charles Cobb that the Town appropriate \$15,000 for the construction of sewer extensions in the central core area and Topsfield Road area, substantially in

accordance with a plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk and that to raise this appropriation the sum of \$15,000 be so transferred from the sewer receipts reserve fund. Seconded. Finance Committee recommended. Selectmen recommended. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 19: To see if the Town will authorize improvements in the central water system, being the area served by the Town Water Tank, located on Town Hill, and do all work deemed advisable in connection therewith for the improvement of its water supply, consisting of cement-lining water mains and replacing pumps at the Oakhurst and Cedarview Pumping Stations and to determine whether such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise, or to take any other actions with respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. Paul Gillespie that \$225,000.00 be appropriated for lining water mains with linings of not less than one sixteenth of an inch and for pumping station equipment for the Oakhurst and Cedarview Pumping Stations, and that to raise this appropriation the treasurer with the approval of the selectmen is authorized to borrow \$225,000 under General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 8 (5) as amended. Seconded. Finance Committee and Selectmen recommended.

Mr. Gillespie explained that there is inner corrosion in the present 50-year-old water mains which affect the water flow and results in bad drinking water (a sample was shown) and poor fire fighting. It is proposed that the pipes be cleaned and cement lined which would be less costly than replacing the pipes by about one third. Mr. Conti showed a cross section of the present pipe and stated that the relining process would last almost indefinitely. Mr. John Bialek said he felt the town should go along with new pipes. Mr. Jack Pickard asked why the town didn't buy their own equipment and reline the pipes. Mr. Conti explained that the town did not have the men to do the job, and the machine would have to be disposed of after the job was completed. Mr. John Harrigan spoke in favor of the motion.

The Moderator stated that a two-thirds vote was necessary. The motion carried with 801 voting in the affirmative, 41 opposed.

Article 20: To see if the town will accept Chapter 344 of the Acts of 1970 - An Act establishing a revolving fund in certain cities and towns for the payment of police officers for off-duty work details.

Moved by Mr. Navarro that the Town vote to accept Chapter 344 of the Acts of 1970 - An Act establishing a revolving fund in certain cities and towns for the payment of police officers for off duty work details. Seconded. Recommended by Finance Committee and Selectmen. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 21: To hear and act upon the reports of committees, and to continue such committees as the Town may vote to continue.

Moved by Mr. John F. Conley that the report of the Historic District Study Committee be accepted and the committee continued. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Moved by Mr. Irving G. Small that the report of the Government Study Committee be accepted and the committee continued. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Moved by Mr. Harold Nelson that the report of the School Building Needs Committee be accepted and the committee continued. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Moved by Mr. John C. Vincent, Jr., that the report of the MBTA Study Committee be accepted and the committee continued. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 22: To see whether the town will vote to amend the Town By-Laws by striking the name of the provisions pertaining to the operation of motor boats "Rules and Regulations Pertaining to the Operation of Motor Boats" and replacing this name with "Ipswich Waters By-Law" and by inserting the following section as section 5:

a. No master, or person acting as master, owner, custodian or other person shall moor any boat within the limits of Ipswich waters, that is within the geographical limits of the town waters, without first obtaining from the harbor master a permit to moor said boat. Mooring as used in this section means the permanent mooring of a boat to be left unattended as distinguished from temporary attended anchoring.

b. An applicant requesting a mooring permit shall file an application therefor with the harbor master. Said application shall contain such information as the harbor master may determine to be necessary to pass upon adequacy of the mooring and gear to be used by the applicant. Upon the receipt of the application and any inspection of said mooring and gear the harbor master may require, the harbor master shall issue to the applicant a mooring permit designating the mooring location if in the opinion of the harbor master said mooring and gear to be used is sufficient to moor the boat described in the application and there is available space within Ipswich waters to moor said boat without endangering other boats. The holder of a mooring permit shall cause his mooring identification number to be painted or attached to the float of his mooring.

c. The harbor master shall collect from the applicant a mooring permit fee of fifty (50) cents per foot measured from the stem in a straight line aft to the stern of the boat to be moored. Booms, boomkins or pulpits are exempt from this measurement. Said fee shall be collected before a mooring permit is issued and the harbor master shall pay all fees collected to the town. All mooring permits shall expire on March 1 following the year of issue. No mooring permit shall be transferable and no person shall cause any boat to be attached to any mooring unless said boat is described in the application, provided however, the harbor master may permit the temporary use of a mooring by another boat upon application by the holder of the permit. Said temporary use shall be limited to a period of fifteen (15) days unless further extended by the harbor master.

d. All spars, cans, balls, or styrene or equivalent floatation mooring buoys shall be visible above water at any tide level.

e. The harbor master shall keep a detailed description of all moorings, their location and the owner's name, telephone number, home and business address, date mooring was set and name, length and type of boat to be attached thereto.

f. The harbor master may revoke any permit for a mooring not maintained to conform to the description of said mooring in the application or for other cause shown.

And to further amend said provisions of the By-Law as presently constituted by redesignating previous section 5 as 6 and substituting the words and figures "fifty (\$50.00) dollars" for the words and figures "twenty (\$20.00) dollars".

Moved by Mr. Paul Gillespie that the following by-law be adopted:

a. No master, or person acting as master, owner, custodian or other person shall moor any boat within the limits of Ipswich waters, that is within the geographical limits of the town waters, without first obtaining from the harbor master a permit to moor said boat. Mooring as used in this section means the permanent mooring of a boat to be left unattended as distinguished from temporary attended anchoring.

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f. The harbor master may revoke any permit for a mooring not maintained to conform to the description of said mooring in the application or for other cause shown.

This by-law to be added as Section 10 of Chapter XV of the General By-Laws of the Town of Ipswich, as adopted by vote of the Town Meeting on March 5, 1973, if and when the same are approved by the Attorney General. Seconded.

Mr. Robert Todd suggested the following amendment:

That all monies collected as a result of mooring permit fees be utilized exclusively for administration and maintenance of mooring areas and docking areas and navigable waterways. (This to be added to subsection c.) Mr. Charles Passales objected noting that the general laws would not allow that, and Town Accountant Robert Leet agreed. Mr. Markos stated that the Finance Committee did not agree at all with the amendment. Mr. Todd withdrew the amendment.

Referring to the proposed by-law, Mr. Ernest Brocklebank asked what method of appeal would be available. Mr. Gillespie answered that if licensing authority refused to grant a license, then person applying can appeal to court of equity. Finance Committee recommended.

Mr. Ray Sullivan then moved for indefinite postponement. Seconded. Mr. Sullivan added that he thought the only reason for this by-law was to raise money for the town. Mr. George Pacheco disagreed; and Mr. Gillespie, speaking against indefinite postponement, said the intent was to relieve congestion on the Ipswich River. Messrs. Ed Damon and Bob Ricker spoke in support of the motion for indefinite postponement. The motion for indefinite postponement carried with 518 voting in the affirmative, 254 opposed.

At 11:02 p.m. Mr. Navarro moved to adjourn the Annual Town Meeting until the following night, March 6, 1973, at 7:30 at the Ipswich High School. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote. Meeting adjourned.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING March 6, 1973

At 7:30, with a quorum present, Moderator Harry Munro called the adjourned meeting to order. The final count showed 979 in attendance.

Mrs. Alice Keenan, not present for Article 21, read the report of the Ipswich Mosquito Control Committee and moved that the report be accepted and the committee continued. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 23: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to construct a building for the Electric Department, consisting of office, garage and stockroom facilities, and to determine whether such appropriations shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise or take any other action with respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. John Pechilis that \$175,000.00 be appropriated for constructing a building on town owned land on High Street in the Town of Ipswich for the Electric Department, consisting of office, garage and storage facilities, and that to raise this appropriation the treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to borrow \$175,000.00 under General Law, Chapter 44, Section 8 as amended. Seconded. Finance Committee and Selectmen recommended.

Mr. Pechilis explained that four trucks were going to have to be moved from Davis' garage as of April 30. This seemed the best solution. Mr. Prosser stated that the Planning Board recommended against this article because the proposed area is zoned residential, is close to Dow Brook, and on a very busy road. Mr. Pechilis argued that the state had approved the site and that town boards had had ample time to make suggestions. Mr. Tobias spoke in favor of the motion and Mr. John Ward reminded voters that this would not raise the electrical rate. The motion carried with 674 voting in the affirmative, 79 opposed.

Article 24: To see whether or not the Town will reimburse the general fund for payment of execution to George Pappas in amount of Four Thousand One Hundred Sixty-one Dollars and Sixty Cents (\$4,161.60) from the Sewer Receipts Reserve Fund.

Moved by Mr. Paul Gillespie that the sum of \$4,161.60 paid by the Town in satisfaction of an execution secured against the town by George Pappas be transferred to the General Fund from Sewer Receipts Reserve Fund.

Mr. Robert Leet, Town Accountant, stated that this could not be done, that the transfer had already been made. Mr. Gillespie withdrew the motion.

Article 25: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a fence, press box and additional seats for the High School Athletic field. (Ten Taxpayer's Petition)

Moved by Mr. Joseph Navarro that the sum of \$7,200.00 be raised and appropriated for the construction of a fence to enclose the high school football field. Seconded. Finance Committee recommended.

Mr. Bob Bateman stated that he could not understand how the Finance Committee could recommend cutting the school budget and then recommend adding a fence. The motion was defeated with 222 voting in the affirmative, 573 opposed.

Article 26: To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following By-law:

No person owning, harboring or having custody and control of a dog shall permit such dog to be at large in the Town of Ipswich elsewhere than on the premises of the owner, except it be on the premises of another person with the knowledge and assent of such other person. Any dog elsewhere shall from 7:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M. be controlled or restrained by any chain or leash and from 10:00 P.M. to 7:00 A.M. shall at all times be under the direct control and supervision of its owner, or his designee. No person owning, harboring or having custody and control of a dog shall suffer, permit or allow such a dog to commit any nuisance in any park, playground, beach, public common or municipal recreation area or upon any sidewalk in the Town of Ipswich. Disposition of complaints or violation of this by-law will be in accordance with the General Law, Chapter 140, Section 173-A, to wit:

The Clerk of the District Court shall send a notice to the person complained against, and that if such person confesses his offense either in person or by mail, the charge will be dismissed on the first offense, and there is a fine of \$2.00 for the second offense, \$5.00 for the

third offense, \$10.00 for the fourth and subsequent offense. (Ten Taxpayer's Petition)

Moved by Mr. John Logan that the following by-law of the Town of Ipswich be adopted: No person owning, harboring or having custody and control of a dog shall permit such dog to be at large in the Town of Ipswich elsewhere than on the premises of the owner, except it be on the premises of another person with the knowledge and assent of such other person. Any dog elsewhere shall from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. be controlled or restrained by any chain or leash and from 10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. shall at all times be under the direct control and supervision of its owner, or his designee. No person owning, harboring or having custody and control of a dog shall suffer, permit or allow such a dog to commit any nuisance in any park, playground, beach, public common or municipal recreation area or upon any sidewalk in the Town of Ipswich. Disposition of complaints or violation of this by-law will be in accordance with the General Law, Chapter 140, Section 173-A, to wit:

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Mr. Fred Hines complained that his coat had been torn by a dog while he (Mr. Hines) was out walking. Mr. William Markos said that he had talked with a man from Newton who was working on a model leash law and who claims that present leash laws are impossible to enforce. Mr. Fred Paulitz, Mrs. Cynthia Sirois, and Mr. Dave Walters all spoke in favor of enforcing the present laws before making new ones. Mr. Sig Todd urged voters to pass this motion, while Mr. Rolland Gallant spoke against it. The motion was defeated with 447 voting in the affirmative, 482 opposed.

Article 27: To see if the Town will vote to authorize and instruct the Board of Selectmen to increase the pay of the "Call" firemen, associated with the Ipswich Fire Department, by \$100 per year and provide for the payment thereof. (Ten Taxpayer's petition)

Moved by Mr. Jake Burridge that the sum of \$3,345.00 be raised and appropriated to increase the pay of the Call Firemen, associated with the Ipswich Fire Department, by \$100 per year and provide for the payment thereof. Seconded. Finance Committee recommended against this article while the Selectmen recommended unanimously for this article.

Mr. George Geanakis, Mrs. A. W. Smith, Mr. Stanley Eustace, and Mr. Bob Bateman all spoke in favor of this motion. The motion carried with 817 voting in the affirmative, 23 opposed.

Article 28: To see if the Town will amend the Protective Zoning By-Law of the Town of Ipswich by changing from "four (4)" to "two (2)" the maximum number of dwelling units permitted per acre of land in

PCD Districts, so that paragraph D, sub-paragraph 2 of the "Table of Lot and Building Requirements" of the Zoning By-Law reads as follows:

In PCD Districts, the number of dwelling units which may be constructed or maintained within the boundary lines of such district, or within any lot of land held in separate ownership from the remainder of said district, shall not exceed two (2) dwelling units per acre of land contained in such district or in such separate lot. (Ten Taxpayer's Petition)

Moved by Mr. Hollie Bucklin that the Protective Zoning By-Law of the Town of Ipswich be changed from "four (4)" to "two (2)" the maximum number of dwelling units permitted per acre of land in PCD Districts, so that Paragraph D, sub-paragraph 2 of the "Table of Lot and Building Requirements" of the Zoning By-Law reads as follows:

In PCD Districts, the number of dwelling units which may be constructed or maintained within the boundary lines of such district, or within any lot of land held in separate ownership from the remainder of said district, shall not exceed two (2) dwelling units per acre of land contained in such district or in such separate lot. Seconded. Finance Committee and Selectmen recommended. Conservation Commission recommended.

Mr. John Prosser stated that the Planning Board voted 4 to 1 against this article and added that a proposal like this should be presented through the Master Plan. Mr. Cornelius Cleary, a member of the Master Plan group, spoke in favor of this article. The motion carried with 625 voting in the affirmative, 138 opposed.

Article 29: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Protective Zoning Bylaws and the Zoning District Map of the Town of Ipswich, dated September 1957, by changing from "Single Residence A" to "Limited Industrial" that area Northwesterly of Locust Street which is defined as follows: Southwesterly from the Northwesterly terminus of Locust Street along the Easterly boundary of land of the Boston & Maine Railroad 1500 feet; thence on a line which runs parallel with and 500 feet Easterly of the Boston & Maine Railroad land 1500 feet to the end of Locust Street. (Ten Taxpayer's Petition)

Moved by Mr. William Hayes that the Town amend the Protective Zoning By-laws and the Zoning District Map of the Town of Ipswich, dated September 1957, by changing from "Single Residence A" to "Limited Industrial" that area Northwesterly of Locust Street which is defined as follows: Southwesterly from the Northwesterly terminus of Locust Street along the Easterly boundary of the Boston & Maine Railroad 1500 feet; thence on a line which runs parallel with and 500 feet Easterly from the Boston & Maine Railroad 1500 feet to the end of Locust Street. Seconded. Finance Committee and Selectmen recommended. Conservation Commission recommended and Planning Board recommended 4 to 1.

Mr. Hayes explained that a company presently renting a building on the property in question would buy the property and expand if the area were zoned LI. Mr. McLeod added that this company would add to the employment opportunities, help the tax rate, and pay a substantial amount to the electric department. Mr. Terrance Perkins, speaking as an abutter, asked that the motion be denied adding that the petitioner already had

the right to go before the appeal board and expand 100 percent. Mr. Hayes stated that the building in question had already been expanded once; but Mrs. Mildred Hulbert, who checked with the Assessors Office, and Mr. Perkins, who spoke with the Building Inspector, said it had not. Messrs. John Prosser, Robert Weatherall, and Donald Huff also spoke in opposition. The motion was defeated with 279 voting in the affirmative, 456 opposed.

Article 30: To see if the Town will accept the layout of Mulholland Drive and Pasture Way as a public way. (Ten Taxpayer's Petition)

Moved by Mr. William Hayes that the Town accept the layout of Mulholland Drive and Pasture Way as shown upon a plan entitled "Plan of Layout of Mulholland Drive and Pasture Way at Great Neck, Ipswich, Mass., January, 1973, Scale 1" = 40', Chester J. Patch Associates, Inc., Ipswich, Mass." and on file with the Town Clerk, as a public way. Seconded.

Mr. John Prosser stated that the Planning Board unanimously recommended acceptance of this article, adding that there were some very minor things yet to be fixed. Mr. Gillespie stated that the Board of Selectmen unanimously opposed acceptance because it would transfer risk from the developer to the town, therefore making the request premature. Mr. Hayes and Mr. Prosser argued that the roads had been accepted, but Mr. Paulitz said that Pasture Way was just a stub of a road. Mr. Gillespie then moved that the article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Finance Committee recommended indefinite postponement. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 31: To see what action the Town will take to purchase the development rights to a parcel of land owned by Sturgis intersecting County Road and Lakeman's Lane, Ipswich, amounting to approximately twenty-five (25) acres, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor. (Ten Taxpayer's Petition)

Moved by Mr. Fred Winthrop that the Town of Ipswich appropriate the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) in accordance with Mass. General Laws, Chapter 184, Section 31, for the purpose of acquiring a conservation restriction on a certain parcel of land consisting of about 32 acres owned by Roger Sturgis and William Sturgis, County Road, Ipswich, Massachusetts, subject to confirmation of good title in grantors, the same being conveyed by warranty deed from Charles E. Wells of Lawrence to Henry E. Sturgis of Ipswich dated July 5, 1895 and recorded in the Essex South District Registry dated July 22, 1895, in Book 1450 page 200 and being described as follows:

A certain parcel of land consisting of about 32 acres and bounded northeasterly by land owned or formerly owned by Fellow on the southerly and then southeasterly by land formerly owned by Ebenezer Fall, on the southwesterly side by the Miles River and on the northwesterly side by County Road. This parcel is particularly described by metes and bounds in a plot plan dated February 28, 1973, by John Alden Goodwin, registered surveyor, and annexed hereto as Exhibit A and expressly made part of this motion.

Such restriction shall provide that on said premises no development shall be conducted, including the erection of any building, dwelling-house, mobile home or other structure; nor shall any paving, filling, dumping or excavation be permitted except that the Grantors, their heirs, successors or assigns may at any time in the future construct one single-family residence at any place situate on the parcel in conformity with the zoning bylaws of the Town of Ipswich. In no event shall there be more than one additional building constructed on the entire parcel by any or all such persons. Any existing structure currently on the property may be improved.

The foregoing restriction is authorized by G. L. Ch. 184, Sec. 31-33, and is intended to retain said parcel predominantly in its natural, scenic and open condition, in agricultural, farming, or forest use in order to protect the natural and watershed resources of said town. The restriction shall be administered by the conservation commission of said town, established under G. L. Ch. 40, Sec. 8C.

The conservation restriction hereby conveyed does not grant either the town or the public any right to enter said parcel except as follows:

1. We grant to the town a permanent easement of access to enter said parcel, by its conservation commission, for the purpose of inspecting the premises and enforcing the foregoing restrictions and remedying any violation thereof. The right hereby granted shall be in addition to any other remedies available to the town for the enforcement of the foregoing restrictions.

The town and its inhabitants shall acquire an easement to pass and repass upon said parcel on foot for purpose of fishing, hiking, canoeing, nature study or cross-country skiing.

The foregoing covenant, easement and restriction shall run with the land and bind the Grantor's successors, heirs or assigns in title to the premises and inure to the benefit of the general public and the inhabitants of said town in perpetuity. Seconded.

The town and its inhabitants shall acquire a conservation restriction and recreational easement as described above and all rights not expressly given herein are reserved to the grantors including the right to conduct any type of agricultural, farming or forestry activity thereon, and this covenant is to be construed so as not to interfere therewith in any respect.

Mr. George of the Conservation Commission explained that this article would serve to conserve green space in our area and that the town would receive 50 percent reimbursement. Mr. Markos stated that the Finance Committee voted 5 to 4 against this article and asked if the Selectmen had seen and read both available appraisals. Mr. Gillespie answered that they had not, but that he (Mr. Gillespie) urged support of this article. Mr. Markos argued that the article had been loosely drawn and should be prepared properly. The Planning Board opposed this article, while Mr. Roger Burke and Mr. Curtis Tuttle spoke in favor. The article lost with 443 voting in the affirmative, 284 opposed. A two thirds vote, or 487, was necessary to carry the article.

Article 32: To see whether the Town will approve the construction of a new housing project by The Ipswich Housing Authority; namely a Housing Project for Elderly Persons, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 667 of Massachusetts Acts of 1954, and Acts in amendment thereof and addition thereto to be known as State Aided Housing Project 667-4. (Housing Authority Petition)

Moved by Mr. Glenfred Wanzer that the Town of Ipswich hereby approve construction of a new housing project; namely a project for the Housing of Elderly Persons, consisting of not more than 100 dwelling units, pursuant to Chapter 667 of Massachusetts Act of 1954 and Acts in Amendment thereof and in addition thereto to be known as State Aided Project 667-4. Seconded. Finance Committee and Selectmen recommended. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 33: To see what action the town will take to amend The Zoning By-Laws by the addition of the following section entitled "Flood Plain and Wetland District", copy of said section and map referred to therein on file at the Town Clerk's office. (Sponsored by the Ipswich Conservation Commission)

Moved by Mr. William Hickling that the Protective Zoning Bylaw of the Town of Ipswich 1970 as amended, be amended by the addition of a new Section Ten, entitled, "Floodplain and Wetland District", a copy of which has been on file at the Town Clerk's office along with the map referred to therein, and also published in The Ipswich Chronicle. Seconded.

Mr. Prosser announced that the vote of the Planning Board was 3 in opposition, 1 abstention, 1 in favor, and suggested that the article be put off for perhaps 6 months or so to allow more study. The Finance Committee voted 5 in opposition, 4 in favor as stated by Mr. Markos, but Mr. Scudder (also of the Finance Committee) spoke in favor of the article adding that it would give the town a chance to look ahead. Mr. Raymond Sullivan and Mr. Dale Vincent spoke against this motion agreeing that the map was unfair and inaccurate. Mr. Dan Wendell spoke in opposition, but Mr. Gillespie stated that this would benefit the future of Ipswich.

Article 33 lost with 402 voting in the affirmative, 336 opposed. A two thirds vote, or 494, was needed to carry the motion.

A motion was made and seconded that the Meeting be dissolved. Carried by voice vote. The Moderator declared the Meeting dissolved at 11:01 p.m.

ATTEST

Harold G. Comeau
Town Clerk

BALLOTING DAY
MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1973

ARTICLE 14

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

The ballots were prepared by the Moderator and Town Clerk in accordance with the Town By-Laws.

The result of the ballot vote was as follows:

Yes	2,390
No	817
Blank	329
Total	3,536

The motion carried.

ATTEST

Harold G. Comeau
Town Clerk



SPECIAL TOWN MEETING



Essex, ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Ipswich in said County.
GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Ipswich, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL, in said Ipswich on MONDAY, THE ELEVENTH DAY OF JUNE, 1973 at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1: To see if the Town will amend the By-Laws of the Town of Ipswich, as adopted at the Annual Town Meeting on March 5, 1973, by adding the following paragraph at the end of Section 1 of Chapter XV thereof:

(e) No person shall on any street, sidewalk, or public place, without a written permit from the Board of Selectmen, consume any alcoholic beverage or possess any opened container, full or partially full, of any alcoholic beverage.

Article 2: To see if the Town will pay to the widow of former Fire Chief, Russell Scahill, that compensation due to the Fire Chief under Chapter 1082, Laws of 1971.

Article 3: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to construct a building for the Electric Department consisting of office, garage and stockroom facilities, and to determine whether such appropriations shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise or take any other action with respect thereto.

Article 4: To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen, as Water Commissioners, in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 15A to transfer approximately five (5) acres of land on Mile Lane under the control of the Water Commissioners and no longer

needed for the Water Department of the town, to the control of the Electric Light Commissioners for the purpose of use by the Electric Light Department as a site for a garage, storage, offices, parking or otherwise.

Article 5: To see what action the Town will take in regards to amending the motion on Article 6, Annual Town Meeting, March 5, 1973.

Article 6: To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for engineering work, survey and plans, for the Town Dump in order to meet requirements prescribed by the State Department of Public Health.

Article 7: To see whether or not the Town will accept provisions of Chapter 48, Section 36A of the General Laws with respect to the appointment of call and part-call firemen to the regular force.

Article 8: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell and convey the following parcel of land to Kenneth MacLeod, namely: The land which comprised the Old North Gate Road and which has been abandoned since the construction of the present North Gate Road. The road is bounded by land presently owned by Kenneth MacLeod and land owned by McFaun and by Raymond.

Article 9: To see what action the town will take to purchase the development rights to a parcel of land owned by Sturgis intersecting County Road and Lakeman's Lane, Ipswich, amounting to approximately twenty five (25) acres and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefore.

The official count of the evening was 314 voters present, with the required quorum being 346. At 7:35 p.m., with 214 voters present, Mr. Navarro moved that the opening of the meeting be postponed 15 minutes. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

At 7:55, with 253 voters present, Mr. Navarro moved that the meeting be continued to 7:30 p.m. on the 18th of June. Seconded. Majority voice vote.



*Harold Shively
Newly Elected Moderator Shively conducted the 1973 Special
Town Meeting.
(Ipswich Chronicle)*

JUNE 18, 1973

Moderator Shively announced that at 7:30 p.m. there was an unofficial count of 183 voters present. Mr. Navarro moved that the start of the meeting be delayed 15 minutes. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

At 7:45 p.m., with only 296 voters present, Mr. Navarro moved that the meeting be dissolved. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

ATTEST

Harold G. Comeau
Town Clerk



BOARD OF SELECTMEN



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*(seated) Charles Cobb; Joseph Navarro, Chairman; Paul Gillespie;
(standing) Ed Kozeneski; Jack Pickard.*

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Charles Cobb
Joseph Navarro, Chairman
Paul Gillespie
Ed Kozeneski
Jack Pickard

The year 1973 was an eventful year for the Town. We saw two major problems of the Town resolved with the start of construction of a new Municipal Light Building, thereby providing much needed office and garage space to the Light Department and coincidentally freeing up space in the present building for offices which are overly crowded at present.

Secondly, the start of construction of the much needed sewer to the South Side of Town. Initially this sewer will service the Southern Heights and Southern Manor area, but it puts the sewer within reach of the areas close by, some of which are in need of this service.

This year also saw the Tax Rate decrease to \$55.00 which was significant in a year which saw most communities receiving increases. Again, in addition to the Revenue Sharing Funds much credit goes to the Assessors, The Treasurer, and the Finance Committee, in particular, Former Chairman Bill Markos, current chairman Charles Dalton who spent many long hours with the Town Accountant to arrive at a budget figure with which the Town could retain its excellent financial status.

With the resignation of Mr. Conti the Board and the Town were most fortunate in obtaining the services of former Selectman Nathaniel M. Quint to act as Temporary Town Manager.

We can only repeat what we have said so many times before, that his assistance and performance, in the Town's hour of need were most commendable.

Our sincere thanks to you, Nat.

In November, we hired Mr. Leonard Silvia of Norton, Mass. as our new Town Manager. Mr. Silvia has impressed us as a frank, open and sincere person. We are sure that as each of you come in contact with him you will agree. Already, in a meeting with the members of the Board, and the offices of the Employees Union, expressions of satisfaction with his forthrightness were expressed by those who were in attendance.

With the gloomy forecasts all around us with regard to oil shortages, energy crisis, unemployment and the high cost of living we anticipate a year of hard work ahead of the Board in order that in whatever way possible we can assist the Town in easing the burden.



Elizabeth "Betty" Cole

(Ipswich Today)

IN MEMORIAM

This year Ipswich lost a loyal and devoted servant in Mrs. Elizabeth "Betty" Cole. She typified all that is good in government with her honest and sincere approach to whatever task she faced.

Those of us who were fortunate to know her and served with her will remember her not so much because she was our first Selectwoman but more because of her warm and human approach to the problems facing Ipswich and its people.

In these days of abuse of public trust, misuse of power and so forth I would hope that those of us remaining and those who will follow will dedicate ourselves to those principals of Service and Integrity which Betty held so dear.

In closing I can only say that, Betty, wherever you are we are richer for having known you.

Signed by,

Joseph A. Navarro
Chairman, Board of Selectmen



JURY DUTY

List of Jurors Drawn in 1973

Chester S. Bartnicki
15 Second Street
Henry A. Beckingham
126 County Road
Robert W. Colter
260 High Street
John F. Conley
31 High Street
William George
12 Water Street
Sigrid von Toll Hart
126 Argilla Road
Carroll B. Hills
22 Labor-In-Vain Road
Virginia P. Hinckley
56 Newmarch Street
Charles S. Hood
294 Linebrook Road
Ellen Osgood Jennings
199 Argilla Road
Marlys K. Kerr
12 Goldfinch Way
Anne C. Kuconis
225 Linebrook Road

Gregory M. Logan
43 High Street
Alvery E. Merriott
14½ Market Street
Christina Malenfant
45 North Perley
Albert L. Meunier
13 Pleasant Street
Norman L. MacLeod
109 High Street
Beatrice Radzinski
15 Spiller's Lane
Ruth G. Regan
47 South Main Street
Elizabeth D. Savage
291 Linebrook Road
William C. Thomas
18 Arrowhead Trail
Stanley Trocki
13 Peatfield Street
Sarah L. Weatherall
40 East Street

ELIGIBLE FOR JURY DUTY

Names Eligible to be Drawn for Jury Duty in 1974

MALE

Edward Antkowiak
County Road
Robert T. Bamford
Mill Road
Robert E. Buttrick
29 Newmarch Street
Lawrence E. Cummings
100 Little Neck Road
Edwin H. Damon
15 Eagle Hill Road
Percy R. Dort, Jr.
5 Mineral Street
G. Mark Hayes
64 County Road
Richard S. Hodgkins
76 East Street
Alister N.D. Hyde
12 Lakeman's Lane
Peter Johnson
10 Putnam Road
David R. Knowlton
56 Fellow's Road

Irving M. Lippoldt
11 Mile Lane
Daniel B. Lunt, Jr.
Labor-In-Vain Road
John J. Michon, Sr.
14 Oakhurst Avenue
Clayton J. McKay
13 Brownville Avenue
Fred Paulitz
North Ridge Road
Kenneth E. Poor
8 Wainwright Street
James D. Smyth
31 Labor-In-Vain Road
John G. Thatcher, Jr.
43 Upper River Road
Keith Mike Wallace
56 North Main Street
John H. Ward
98 Linebrook Road
John Wegzyn
63 Linebrook Road

FEMALE

Catherine V. Abbott
10 Vermette Court
Anita M. Buttrick
29 Newmarch Street
Beverly C. Coates
Argilla Road
Jean Duke
28 Mt. Pleasant Avenue
Joyce A. Gysan
146 County Road
Ruth Christian Horne
41 Linebrook Road
Nancy P. Johnstone
23 Newmarch Street
Helen B. McGarty
County Road
Elizabeth E. Phillips
Argilla Road

TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT



TOWN MANAGER

Leonard J. Silvia

Legally, the purpose of a town report is to notify the citizens of the community of the activities and programs undertaken throughout the year. It is a sound businesslike practice and we hope this report is sufficient in depth, detail and information to serve that purpose.

Keep in mind the many hours it takes, many on a volunteer basis, to accomplish these activities and programs. Keep in mind these programs and activities are determined by the implied or explicit wishes of the townspeople. Keep in mind also, particularly the volunteer hours, that this certainly is the dedication of townspeople for the benefit of their fellow townspeople.

The residents of Ipswich have always taken particular pride in their community and this pride has been expressed by participating in its affairs and helping to guide its destiny. This is certainly a community rich with culture and tradition. In the years to come we

cannot and should not weaken our standards of excellence; we cannot and should not set but the highest goals for ourselves; and therefore we can and should continue to be a leader in the blending of those principles and ingredients that insure a stable, democratic, model-community life.

The decisions that will have to be made to retain this balance that we are so fortunate to have will not be easy ones. They will concern not only those problems that threaten the existence of civilization as we know it. It would seem unreasonable and impossible to blindly limit our concerns to our town borders while the world around us decays. These decisions, or the analysis of these decisions, may have to test some concepts or standards that we presently take for granted.

The world's towns, states and nations have been geared to be dependent upon growth. The handwriting is on the wall we cannot continue on this course of expansion without disastrous results. Such growth continues to deplete our natural resources at an alarming rate. A concerted drive must be made for stabilization. It will mean doing with less rather than asking for more; it will mean reversing or rearranging our commonly accepted needs; it will mean foremost, that the matter will have to be faced directly and honestly. This indeed is an awesome challenge because our everyday lives do not allow time for such contemplation.

These sacrifices and inconveniences can exert a positive influence in many ways: participating in recycling programs; protecting our farms and open spaces; controlling our use of water, power and fuel needs; reviewing our moral and social principles that may contribute to developing the impending imbalance; and so forth.

Our town deliberations will shift from the current, obvious, routine and mundane problems with which we normally struggle, and lift our sights to those which, if not considered, will make our present ones an exercise in futility.

This my first manager report is, therefore, more philosophical than functional. However, since my 1973 experience has been of short duration any observations would be premature.



VITAL STATISTICS



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Harold Comeau, Town Clerk

Comparative Vital Statistics recorded for the past four years:

	1970	1971	1972	1973
Births	154	149	109	115
Deaths	109	141	154	140
Marriages	131	121	123	137

All the births recorded were to Ipswich residents (Male 67 - Female 48). Of the total number of deaths recorded 90 were Ipswich residents (Male 53 - Female 37). The age of the oldest Ipswich resident was 94 years, 5 months and 29 days.

DOG LICENSES	1972	1973
Males	403	496
Females	55	47
Spayed Females	268	295
Kennels	6	7
TOTALS	732	845

CLAM PERMITS	1972	1973
Residents	800	711
Non-resident Daily	384	307
Non-resident Yearly	236	197
TOTALS	1420	1215

REGISTERED VOTERS (as of December 31, 1973)

Precinct	Demo- crats	Repub- licans	Unen- rolled	Total
I	249	556	541	1346
II	416	643	822	1881
III	226	451	711	1388
IV	424	466	778	1668
Total	1315	2116	2852	6283

ELECTIONS

The annual meeting for the election of Town officers was held in accordance with the warrant on Monday,

March 12, 1973 from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. The voting machine in Precinct I registered 830 ballots cast, Precinct II registered 1066 ballots cast, Precinct III registered 733 ballots cast, and Precinct IV registered 999 ballots cast.

MODERATOR	Pre. I	Pre. II	Pre. III	Pre. IV	Total
Mark Apsey	162	240	181	207	790
John A. Pechilis	251	343	232	420	1246
*Harold E. Shively	402	459	304	342	1507
George A. Singer	—	—	1	—	1
Blank	15	24	15	30	84

SELECTMEN	Pre. I	Pre. II	Pre. III	Pre. IV	Total
Elizabeth S. Cole	419	432	335	295	1481
*John M. Pickard	357	547	340	570	1814
Brainard C. Wallace	37	65	38	101	241
Hollie Bucklin	—	1	—	—	1
Blank	17	21	20	33	91

CONSTABLE	Pre. I	Pre. II	Pre. III	Pre. IV	Total
*Bernie Spencer	626	798	561	739	2724
David Welsh	143	197	130	165	635
Blank	61	71	42	95	269

SCHOOL COMMITTEE	Pre. I	Pre. II	Pre. III	Pre. IV	Total
Rainer Broekel	326	370	289	212	1197
*Walter J. Pojasek	315	457	302	616	1690
*Peter R. Greer	434	475	350	373	1632
M. Patricia Manning	265	390	208	393	1256
Leland G. Wood	90	123	79	45	337
Peter A. Zervas	92	163	133	196	584
Blank	138	154	105	163	560

HOUSING AUTHORITY	Pre. I	Pre. II	Pre. III	Pre. IV	Total
*John G. Thatcher	600	703	465	581	2349
Peter A. Johnson	165	270	195	309	939
Blank	65	93	73	109	340

And to Vote "Yes" or "No" to the following questions:

QUESTION NO. 1

"Shall this town approve the Charter Amendments to the Town Charter, Chapter 620 of the Acts of 1966, proposed by the Annual Town Meeting, March 06, 1972, by amending Section 22 of the Charter entitled 'Electric Light Department' as follows: by striking out the words 'to whom the Board of Selectmen shall delegate its duties and responsibilities as electric light commissioners' and inserting the words 'who shall be responsible to the Board of Selectmen as electric light commissioners', this amendment, if approved by a majority of the voters, to take effect upon certification of the balloting by the Town Clerk?"

The above Question was voted on one ballot at the respective precinct polling places on Monday, March 12, 1973 as follows:

Yes	493	665	461	582	2201
No	227	255	184	229	895
Blank	110	146	88	188	532
Total	830	1066	733	999	3628

QUESTION NO. 2

"Shall this town approve the Charter Amendments to the Town Charter, Chapter 620 of the Acts of 1966, proposed by the Annual Town Meeting, March 06, 1972, by amending Section 21 of the Charter entitled 'Department of Public Works' as follows: by deleting the words 'water commissioners, sewer commissioners' from the second sentence of said section and adding the following sentence: 'The Board of Selectmen shall assume all the powers and duties heretofore delegated to the Water Commissioners and Sewer Commissioners' and by striking the word 'he' at the beginning of the third sentence of said section and replacing it by the words 'The Town Manager', this amendment, if approved by majority of the voters, to take effect upon certification of the balloting by the Town Clerk?"

The above Question was voted on one ballot at the respective precinct polling places on Monday, March 12, 1973 as follows:

Yes	474	648	447	561	2130
No	240	265	194	245	944
Blank	116	153	92	193	554
Total	830	1066	733	999	3628

ELECTION OFFICERS:

Precinct I — Warden: Hazel Grant; Clerk: Gertrude Conley; Dep. Chk/Warden: Doris Chambers; Inspectors: Alida Wile, Gertrude Smythe, Annie Morgan, Barbara Stone.

Precinct II — Warden: Thelma Cummings; Clerk: Jean Bucklin; Dep. Chk/Warden: Eleanor Perkins; Inspectors: Mary Jodoin, Beatrice Radzinski, Thelma Vose, *short due to last minute sickness.

Precinct III — Warden: Marion Reedy; Clerk: Helen Cooke; Dep. Chk/Warden: Martha Brennan; Inspectors: Guy Reedy, Barbara Robishaw, Mary Ross, *short due to last minute sickness.

Precinct IV — Warden: Alice Trocki; Clerk: Theresa Beauregard; Dep Chk/Warden: Cynthia Burns; Inspectors: Catherine Comeau, Janice Marcaurelle, Julia Goot, Blanch Hubbard.



YOUTH COMMISSION

YOUTH COMMISSION

Cathleen R. McGinley, Director
W. Robert Russell M.S., Chairman

1973 has been a landmark of progress for the Youth Commission. Continual and expanded programs have been made possible by the continued support of the town and its citizens. Major activities the Youth Commission has been responsible for include the following:

- Clean Up & Beautification of the River Walk
- A 2 Act Play produced & directed by the Young People entitled "Mystery of the Gymdrop Dragon"
- Participation in Old Ipswich Days
- Arts & Crafts Programs
- 3 Summer Concerts
- Fall Mountain Climbing Trip
- Series of Parents Programs with Dr. Alan Siegel "A Better Understanding of Your Teens."
- Counseling for disturbed young people
- Monthly Movies at the Center
- 6 Dances
- Formation of a Steering Committee comprised of 12 Young People
- Christmas Fair

Special thanks are extended to the volunteers who gave so freely of their time to assist our youth towards a bright future; to the Friends of Ipswich Youth for their continual support and assistance and to the Police Chief and his department for their interest and cooperation. The many contributions and donations of

furniture from the Community have been sincerely appreciated.

"CHILDREN ARE THE WORLDS MOST VALUABLE RESOURCE AND ITS BEST HOPE FOR THE FUTURE"

"John F. Kennedy"



Youths at work cleaning River Walk. Three truckloads of debris were carried away.
(Ipswich Chronicle)

PLANNING BOARD

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Jason A. Sokolov, Chairman

During 1973 the Planning Board's major effort was directed toward advancing the progress of the Master Planning effort, with strong support from the Planning Advisory Committee. This has resulted in proposed Wetlands Zoning and sign regulation amendments to the Zoning By-law, economic models, planning map overlays, continued work on the Subdivision Control Regulations, and a Progress Report to be presented to the Town.

The Board approved the Bayview Subdivision while rejecting two preliminary plans for Country Club of Ipswich and the definitive plan of A. B. Clark, Sec. II. The latter has an appeal pending in Superior Court, and Country Club of Ipswich has submitted a definitive plan which is currently pending before the Board.

Regular meetings were held on a bi-weekly schedule, while special meetings and hearings were held as required. Recommendations were made to the Board of Appeals and Conservation Commission on hearings held by them. Joint meetings were held with the Selectmen, Board of Health, and Conservation Commission.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

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James Theodosopoulos, Chairman

In 1973 the Board held thirty duly advertised public hearings. This is the second highest number of hearings in the Board's history. Of the thirty petitions, sixteen were granted, ten were denied, and four were withdrawn.

Of the sixteen petitions granted, four concerned lot or yard requirements, three related to additions to existing buildings, two permitted the keeping of horses for family use, two permitted temporary occupancy of a trailer, and there were one each for a swimming pool, a greenhouse, a day care center, a nursing home, and a tennis-recreational facility.

Of the ten petitions denied, six concerned lot or yard requirements, and there were one each for a building addition, an increase in the number of apartments, a boat-selling business in a residential neighborhood, and a shopping center.

The Zoning By-law was amended at the Annual Town Meeting to reduce the permitted number of dwelling units in the PCD District from four per acre to two per acre.

After the Annual Town Meeting, the Board of Selectmen reappointed S. Harold Perley as a member and Sharon Josephson and William J. Murphy as Associate Members.

TOWN COUNSEL



TOWN COUNSEL

F. Dale Vincent

In addition to the regular advisory services furnished town officials and Boards throughout the past year, the past year was a particularly active one for litigation in which the town or one of its boards or officials was involved. Three cases involving hearings in Superior Court involving the town were disposed of, all favorably to the town. One case in Probate Court involving the alteration of the Library trusts to allow takeover by the town of the trust assets and operation of the library by the town under the General Laws of the State by nine trustees appointed by the Selectmen, was heard in Probate Court and a consent decree acceptable to the Attorney General, the present Library Trustees and the town was achieved. Two cases presently pending in Superior Court involve the scope of authority of the Board of Health and the Planning Board. There have been three hearings in Boston with regard to the case against the Board of Health, and one lengthy trial in Salem of the case in which both Boards were involved. Neither case has been finally completed and as of the first of the year decision of the latter case is still awaited.

There has also been an increase in appeals from decisions of the Board of Appeals involving zoning matters. Two cases of this nature were heard in the District Court in Ipswich and disposed of favorably to the town. One such case is still pending in the District Court and three in Superior Court.

There are presently five cases in Superior Court awaiting trial involving claims against the town for personal injuries or property damage, and one such suit in District Court. There is also a suit in Superior Court by the town against a developer for breach of his agreement with the town Planning Board.

ASSESSING



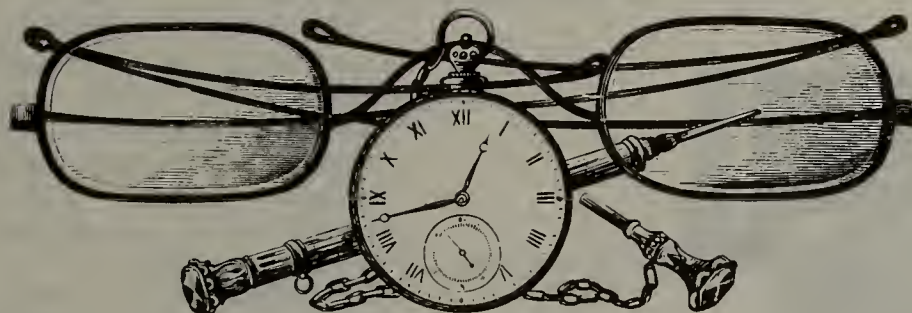
ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

Varnum S. Pedrick, Chief Assessor

ASSESSMENTS: The total of real estate and personal property for 1973 is \$69,424,999. This is an increase of \$2,919,992. over 1972. This is the greatest gain in valuation in the history of Ipswich, except 1965 over 1964, but that was due to revaluation of all real estate. Our gain in value, plus other lesser factors, enabled us to drop the rate by \$1.00 per thousand despite the increase of expenditures.

This office also committed 8376 motor vehicle bills for a total of \$6,711,210. value and \$343,944. in taxes for collection, a gain of nearly \$50,000 over 1972.

The issuing of over 190 building permits indicates an increase of new construction, remodeling, etc. of more than 25% over 1972. The financial future of the Town appears to me to be more roseate than some of my co-workers' prophesy.



TREASURER - COLLECTOR

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George C. Mourikas

My Assistant Treasurer, Sophie L. Rygielski, Deputy Tax Collectors, Gloria S. Klimaszewski and Gladys A. Wegzyn have been working diligently and were able to collect over 99% of the Taxes.

The duties of my office staff have doubled due to the Fiscal Year, and Revenue Sharing which requires an extra set of books and files. Revenue Sharing is a complete separate operation with a separate Quarterly report sent to the Bureau of Accounts. The Fiscal Year involves 2 Committments for Real Estate and Personal Property Taxes, doubling the volume of Bookkeeping and Collections in our office.

The Sale and Transfer of Real Estate Property has increased tremendously requiring more Certificates of Municipal Liens issued.

I want to thank the Board of Selectmen, Town Manager, and Finance Committee for their help and cooperation throughout the past year.



TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS AND TREASURER-COLLECTOR

l to r: John Beagen, Mark Apsey, George Maurikas (Treas.-Coll.)
and Peter Owskiak

FINANCE

ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT

Robert H. Leet, Accountant

The Accounting Department performs many and various functions during the year which are very necessary and important in maintaining the Town's stability.

All the general financial records of the Town are maintained in this office by our devoted and conscientious employees. Their primary duties are: processing all Town payrolls and bill vouchers, maintaining health and life insurance records, and handling various other problems which arise.

The annual budget, both preliminary and final, was prepared and distributed. Also the financial section of the Town Report was compiled. Various other reports were prepared for the following: Bureau of Accounts,

State Tax Commission, Bureau of Census-Federal, various banks, town departments and committees, research bureaus, and other financial institutions — showing the complete financial transactions and condition of the Town.

We have been busy preparing for the fiscal year change which should prove to be interesting and possibly chaotic.

Detailed financial statements for the year 1973 are set forth in the colored pages of this report.



HISTORICAL COMMISSION



HISTORICAL COMMISSION

John Conley, Chairman

The Ipswich Historical Commission has spent the greater part of its efforts during the past year in preparation for the publishing of its report on the Pilot Demonstration Project on historic preservation through the use of easements. Mr. David Johnson, the Government Technical Representative from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, came to Ipswich on two occasions to confer with the Commission on the project. The final draft was submitted to H.U.D. in August.

In December the Commission received approval of the draft for publishing with some suggestions for editorial changes.

The letter of approval also stated, in part, "The survey which the Commission conducted to identify the properties for which easements would eventually be negotiated has produced valuable documentation on the historical and architectural significance of early buildings throughout Ipswich. Such a survey is essential to the development of a comprehensive preservation program for any community. We would hope that the Ipswich Commission will continue this work to identify and document significant properties of later date and that copies of all these materials will be forwarded to Massachusetts Historical Commission for inclusion in the official inventory of the Commonwealth's historic assets. The survey and the project as a whole have generated increased public awareness of Ipswich's historic assets, of the need for coordinated local efforts for their preservation, and of the Ipswich Historical Commission as the official town agency capable of providing the coordination. Finally, sixteen easements have been acquired by the Ipswich Commission on behalf of the town, marking the first direct involvement of local government in historic preservation."

The Commission, whose members had in the past served as an Historic District Study Committee, invited Mrs. Polly Rettig of the Massachusetts Historical Commission to confer with them concerning the re-activating of such a Study Committee. The Board of Selectmen concurred in the matter, and reappointed the members of the Commission to a new Historic District Study Committee.

The Commission received several requests for genealogical and historical information; these were researched and answered. The Commission also continued its program of maintenance of the plaques affixed to the historic homes about the Town.

The members of the Commission are serving on the historical section of the Bicentennial Committee.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
For the Town of
IPSWICH, MASSACHUSETTS

Year Ending December 31, 1973

TOWN OF IPSWICH
MASSACHUSETTS
BALANCE SHEET-DECEMBER 31, 1973

<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES & RESERVES</u>	
<u>CASH</u>		<u>Premium on Loans</u>	565.15
General	2,449,978.81	<u>Interest on Loans Issued</u>	106.67
Revenue Sharing	59,973.19		
Petty:		<u>Agency:</u>	
Accounting	5.00	County Dog Collection	75.75
Schools	25.00		
Electric	375.00	<u>Payroll Deductions:</u>	
Advance		Retirement Withholding	5,398.17
Payrolls	41.71	Union	224.50
	<u>2,510,398.71</u>	State Withholding	9,906.39
		Health Insurance Deductions	5,687.10
<u>CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT:</u>		-Paid in	476.52
Federal Revenue Sharing	100,000.00	-Consortium	75.90
	<u>100,000.00</u>	O.M.E.	-Deduction
			94.78
		-Paid in	211.20
<u>ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLES:</u>		Life Insurance-Deduction	202.57
<u>Taxes:</u>		-Paid in	15.33
Levy of 1966		-Consortium	1.65
Personal Property	3.30	Annuities	724.45
Levy of 1967		Clothing Allowance	174.64
Personal Property	56.25		<u>23,193.20</u>
Levy of 1969			
Personal Property	110.40	<u>Guarantee Deposits:</u>	
Levy of 1970		Electric Meter	11,692.00
Personal Property	278.60	Meter Income	2,976.00
Levy of 1971		Contract Performance	26,000.00
Personal Property	310.80		<u>40,668.00</u>
Real Estate	802.31		
Levy of 1972		<u>Overestimates:</u>	
Personal Property	407.40	County Tax	52,943.78
Real Estate	7,314.65	State Recreation	4,710.86
Levy of 1973		Metro Air Pollution	39.21
Personal Property	5,784.18	Mosquito Control	1,825.42
Real Estate	63,150.88	Ipswich River Watershed	379.16
Levy of 1974			<u>59,898.43</u>
Real Estate	(53.63)	<u>Tailings:</u>	
	<u>78,165.14</u>	Unclaimed Checks	4,867.08
Excise:			
Motor Vehicle		<u>Gifts and Bequests:</u>	
Levy of 1964	1,560.38	Cemetery Perpetual Care	480.00
Levy of 1965	2,801.31	Ipswich Fairways Inc.	10,000.00
Levy of 1966	290.41		<u>10,480.00</u>
Levy of 1967	1,333.02		
Levy of 1968	382.49	<u>Federal Grants:</u>	
Levy of 1969	303.94	<u>Schools:</u>	
Levy of 1970	1,310.82	National Defense Title III	3,650.26
Levy of 1971	1,640.48	Vocational Education	12.28
Levy of 1972	7,932.62	ESEA Title I 73-144-037	317.20
Levy of 1973	34,531.05	ESEA Title I 74-144-012	8,686.70
	<u>52,086.52</u>	ESEA Title II F 4-1972	15.40

TOWN OF IPSWICH
MASSACHUSETTS
BALANCE SHEET-DECEMBER 31, 1973

<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES & RESERVES</u>	
<u>Excise: (Cont.)</u>		<u>Federal Grant:</u>	
<u>Farm Animal</u>		<u>Schools:</u>	
Levy of 1973	77.00	ESEA Title II F4-1973	3,467.77
	77.00	ESEA Title II Project	291.68
		PL 91-230 Title VIB 1972	210.70
		1973	2,965.43
<u>Special Taxes:</u>		Education Training Teachers	
In Litigation	1,706.35	of Handicapped Children	1,500.00
	1,706.35	Historic District-HUD	5,134.77
			26,252.19
<u>Tax Title and Possessions:</u>		<u>State Grants:</u>	
Tax Titles	23,449.19	Youth Commission	1,620.31
Tax Possessions	7,809.28	Shellfish	1,268.00
	31,258.47	Highway Aid	50,844.00
<u>Special Assessments:</u>			53,732.31
<u>Sewer to Taxes:</u>		<u>Revolving Funds:</u>	
Levy of 1972	139.37	Cafeteria	9,164.10
Levy of 1973	8,010.11	Athletics	10,843.78
Apportioned Paid in Advance	(26.50)	Police	228.00
<u>Committed Interest:</u>		Other	30.00
Levy of 1972	5.67		20,265.88
Levy of 1973	304.07		
	8,432.72		
<u>Departmental:</u>		<u>Veterans District</u>	6,425.32
Town Property	1,149.85	<u>Other Funds:</u>	
Engineering	45.00	Highway Mach. Fund	25.00
Health	172.14	Sale of Cemetery Lots	7,299.95
Veterans Service	61,423.60	Conservation	17,156.04
Highway Machinery	690.63	Manning	297.75
Cemetery	118.50		24,778.74
Education	(3,058.07)		
	60,541.65	<u>Operating Balances:</u>	
<u>Municipal Electric:</u>		Appropriation Control	3,121,569.27
Rates & Charges	183,117.03	Appropriation Control-	
	183,117.03	Revenue Sharing	197,260.58
<u>Water:</u>		<u>Electric:</u>	
<u>Liens Added to Taxes:</u>		Operation	128,702.97
Levy of 1971	162.63	Construction	2,877.16
Levy of 1972	(104.03)	<u>Bond Proceeds:</u>	
Levy of 1973	1,151.02	Plant Enlargement	237.04
Rates & Charges	34,935.72	Building Construction	145,091.22
	36,145.34	Depreciation	58,395.23
<u>Sewer:</u>		<u>Water:</u>	
<u>Liens Added to Taxes:</u>		Operation	99,287.76
Levy of 1971	23.52	<u>Bond Proceeds:</u>	
Levy of 1972	(71.77)	Dow Reservoir	516.69
Levy of 1973	62.74	Construction 1969	430.71
Rates & Charges	28,294.25	Construction 1970	7,196.92
	28,308.74	Construction 1971	1,989.56
		Construction 1973	57,476.45

TOWN OF IPSWICH
MASSACHUSETTS
BALANCE SHEET-DECEMBER 31, 1973

<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES & RESERVES</u>	
<u>Aid to Highways:</u>		<u>Operating Balances: (Cont.)</u>	
State	21,049.54	Water	
County	<u>9,750.00</u>	Plant & Investment	37.19
	30,799.54	Bond Issue Interest	<u>4,050.75</u>
			3,825,119.50
<u>Other Assets:</u>		<u>Loans Authorized & Unissued</u>	
Loans Authorized:			4,003,000.00
Sewer Construction		<u>Receipts Reserved for Appropriations:</u>	
Art 63 TM 3-7-66	343,000.00	State Aid for Libraries	4,031.25
Sewer Treatment Plant		Water Pollution Control	3,370.00
Art 16 TM 3-1-71	3,500,000.00	Historical Commission	7.00
Water Cleaning & Lining		County Dog Refund	1,429.49
Art 19 TM 3-5-73	<u>160,000.00</u>	Sewer	<u>63,334.40</u>
	4,003,000.00		72,172.14
<u>Unprovided for or Overdrawn Accounts:</u>		<u>Overlay Reserved for Abatements:</u>	
Estimated Receipts:		Levy of 1967	56.25
General	413,281.80	Levy of 1969	110.40
Water	106,417.72	Levy of 1970	237.72
Overlay 1966	26.40	Levy of 1971	1,113.11
Revenue 1972	11.03	Levy of 1972	7,722.05
Revenue 1973	<u>1,910,474.35</u>	Levy of 1973	<u>207,519.84</u>
	2,430,211.30		216,759.37
<u>Due from Revenue Sharing</u>	37,287.39	<u>Overlay Surplus</u>	
			104,708.43
		<u>Revenue Reserved Until Collected:</u>	
		Motor Vehicle Excise	52,086.52
		Farm Animal Excise	77.00
		Departmental	64,207.15
		Aid to Highways	30,799.54
		Tax Title & Possession	31,258.47
		Electric	183,117.03
		Water	36,145.32
		Sewer	<u>36,741.46</u>
			434,432.49
		<u>Other Reserves:</u>	
		Special Tax	1,706.35
		Petty Cash Advanced	<u>405.00</u>
			2,111.35
		<u>Anticipation Loans:</u>	
		Serial Issue	485,000.00
		Federal PW	<u>11,500.00</u>
			496,500.00
		<u>Surplus Revenue:</u>	
		General	165,423.90
	<u>9,591,535.90</u>		<u>9,591,535.90</u>

Source: Town Accountant

TOWN OF IPSWICH
MASSACHUSETTS
BALANCE SHEET-DECEMBER 31, 1973

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:

Inside Debt	797,000.00
Outside Debt	388,000.00
Public Service	890,000.00

Serial Loans:

Inside Debt Limit:

General	
Sewer Construction	727,000.00
Payne School Renovations	30,000.00
Fire Equipment	40,000.00
	<u>797,000.00</u>

Outside Debt Limit:

General	
Sewer Construction	280,000.00
School Construction	108,000.00
	<u>388,000.00</u>

Public Service:

Electric	405,000.00
Water	485,000.00
	<u>890,000.00</u>
	<u>2,075,000.00</u>

2,075,000.00

Deferred Revenue Accounts

Apportioned Sewer Assessments

Not Due	134,945.04
<u>Suspended Sewer Assessments</u>	
Not Due	123,014.04

Apportioned Sewer Revenue Due:

1974	12,947.88
1975	11,963.33
1976	11,642.93
1977	10,298.41
1978	10,095.05
1979	9,620.38
1980	8,667.08
1981	8,115.29
1982	7,946.67
1983	6,232.90
1984	5,947.89
1985	5,476.66
1986	5,475.06
1987	4,974.34
1988	4,758.45
1989	4,062.35
1990	2,698.54
1991	2,484.86
1992	1,536.97
	<u>134,945.04</u>

257,959.08

Suspended Sewer

123,014.04
<u>257,959.08</u>

Source: Town Accountant

DETAILED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Taxes:

Real Estate

Levy of 1971	6,006.47
Levy of 1972	86,141.77
Levy of 1973	3,537,269.92
Levy of 1974	53.63
	<u>3,629,471.79</u>

Personal Property:

Levy of 1967	18.75
Levy of 1970	33.60
Levy of 1972	5,019.95
Levy of 1973	83,274.24
	<u>88,346.54</u>

In Lieu of Taxes:

State Owned Property	89,019.63
Cranes Beach	10,197.31
Ipswich Housing Authority	
	<u>99,216.94</u>

State General Fund Distributions:

Machinery Basis	4,512.27
School Aid Chapter 69 & 71-235	257.03
School Aid Chapter 70	670,665.71
School Aid Chapter 70 (Adj 1972)	16,598.61
	<u>927,033.62</u>

State Agency Fund Distribution:

Beano Tax	1,768.67
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Local Aid Fund:

Lottery	56,516.77
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Licenses and Permits:

Alcoholic Beverages	19,506.00
All Other	

Selectmen:

Amusement	411.00
Auto Dealers	130.00
Common Victualler	93.00
Auctioneer	4.00
Fuel	10.00
Unclassified	8.00
Shellfish Permits	4,020.00
Occupancy Permits	235.00

Town Clerk:

Clam Permits	5,500.00
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Police:

License to carry firearms	1,562.00
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Building Inspector:

Building Permits	3,054.50
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Health and Sanitation:

Septic Tank	360.00
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Licenses and Permits: (Cont.)

Health & Sanitation

Camp, Cabin, & Motel	10.00
Milk, Oleo, Ice Cream	20.00
Sewer Installers	110.00
Cesspool Pumping	75.00
Restaurant	18.00
Cesspool Pit Fee	562.00
Plumbing	1,391.50
Gas	709.00
Rendering	2.00
Public Works:	
Street Opening	195.00
	<u>37,986.00</u>

Fines & Forfeits:

District Court	6,270.50
Anti Trust Actions	360.05

Grants & Gifts:

	<u>6,630.55</u>
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Federal:

NDEA Title III	2,287.98
ESEA Title I 74-144-012	11,632.00
ESEA Title II Library	3,467.77
ESEA Title II Spec Purp Lib.	700.00
PL Title VIB	4,493.00
PL Title VID (Chap 766 Imp)	1,500.00
Food Service USDA	39,969.42
Revenue Sharing	413,870.00
H.U.D.-Open Space Program	2,414.23
Storm Disaster OEP	9,714.96
	<u>490,049.36</u>

State Reimbursement:

School Transportation	122,233.73
Outside School Transportatn	1,201.00
Vocational Education	5,805.00
Food Service	18,944.14
Building Assistance	162,597.51
Education of Deaf & Blind	168.00
Tuition & Transportation	17,471.22
Conservation Land Purchase	15,700.00
Water Pollution Control	3,370.00
Water Pollution Control-Pl	12,011.20
Highways Ch 1140 Sec 20	50,844.00
Library Aid	4,031.25
Marine Fisheries	1,500.00
Decennial Census Cost	2,797.00
	<u>418,674.05</u>

County Dog Fund

	1,429.49
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Individuals & Others:

Chamber of Commerce	1,111.00
Feoffees of Grammar School	7,500.00
Ipswich Fairways Inc.	10,000.00
	<u>18,611.00</u>

DETAILED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Special Assessments:

Sewer:

Unapportioned	17,273.32
Added to Taxes	
Levy of 1972	261.13
Levy of 1973	13,464.49
Apportioned Paid in Advance	<u>6,278.57</u>
	37,277.51

Privileges:

Motor Vehicle Excise:

Levy of 1966	52.80
Levy of 1967	97.85
Levy of 1969	14.03
Levy of 1970	187.29
Levy of 1971	893.45
Levy of 1972	135,243.71
Levy of 1973	<u>272,387.21</u>
	408,876.34

Farm Animal

Levy of 1973	283.80
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Departmental:

General Government:

Selectmen	
Liquor I D	120.00
Accountant	
Group Insurance	1,727.69
Treasurer	
Costs-Taxes	278.00
Costs-Motor Vehicle Ex	2,124.00
Tax Certificates	1,472.00
Town Clerk	
Recordings	731.50
Marriage Intentions	330.00
Certified Copies	550.25
All Other	325.50
Historiaal Commission	7.00
Planning Board	
Subdivision Inspection	32.00
Rules & Regulations	17.50
Filing Fees	30.00
Board of Appeals	
Hearing Fees	432.00
Conservation	
Filing & Hearing Fees	<u>125.00</u>
	8,302.44

Public Safety:

Police:

Photo Copies	437.00
Bicycle Registration	40.50
Firearms Identification	202.00

Departmental: (Cont.)

Public Safety

Forestry	
Line Clearing	4,523.60
Sealer of Weights	<u>109.90</u>
	5,313.00

Health & Sanitation

Rabies Clinic	378.00
Immunizations	18.50
Sewer Construction-	
Housing Authority	45,000.00
Sewer Rentals	24,567.83
Recycling	642.67
Sewer-Connection Fees	380.00
Rental Liens:	
Levy of 1972	257.61
Levy of 1973	<u>1,235.74</u>
	72,480.35

Highway:

General	1,772.48
Machinery	25.00
Sidewalk	20.00
Concrete Anti Trust Case	6.60
Chapter 90-State	<u>1,450.46</u>
	3,274.54

Veterans Services:

Reimbursement for Relief	39,578.21
Recovery	<u>184.00</u>
	39,762.21

Schools:

Tuition	1,870.00
Drivers Education	900.00
Lost Textbooks	53.00
Rent of Facilities	15.00
Food Service	155,336.79
Athletic	10,289.93
Transportation-County	1,138.16
Pay Telephone	208.44
Sale of Surplus Equipment	<u>3,020.00</u>
	172,831.32

Recreation:

Swim Program	463.00
Beach Stickers	2,263.00
Lighthouse Use	<u>507.50</u>
	3,233.50

Unclassified:

Rental of Municipal Property	5,168.66
Sale of Town Property	216.83

DETAILED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Departmental: (Cont.)

Unclassified:

Fire Loss Insurance	21,996.00
Other Insurance	<u>575.75</u>
	27,957.24

Public Service Enterprises:

Electric:

Rates & Services	1,391,407.92
Aid to Construction	720.66

Water:

Rates & Services	186,333.87
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Liens:

Levy of 1972	1,589.28
Levy of 1973	<u>10,375.72</u>
	1,590,427.45

Cemeteries:

Sale of Lots	1,750.00
Care of Lots (Annual)	565.50
Openings	5,340.00
Foundations	1,016.10
Tents	660.00
Liners	<u>520.00</u>
	9,851.60

Interest On:

Deposits

Meter	3,098.62
Depreciation	1,299.29
Conservation	1,884.93

Taxes & Assessments:

Taxes	6,479.81
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Assessments-Sewer

Levy of 1972	301.75
Levy of 1973	6,958.51

Apportioned Paid in Adv	82.10
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Motor Vehicle	1,099.84
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Investments:

General	14,468.25
Revenue Sharing	11,202.61
Electric Temporary Loan	1,371.34
Stabilization	12,011.95

Trust Funds

Cemetery Perpetual Care	6,514.27
Cemetery Flower	354.05
Mrs Wm G Brown	181.88
Marianna Jones	125.94
R T Crane Picnic	1,187.88
Eunice C Cowles	671.10
Mark Newman	505.90
Martha Savory	51.61
Dow Boulder	16.21
Appleton Memorial	68.10
John C Kimball	<u>25.18</u>
	69,961.12

Municipal Indebtedness:

Anticipation of Revenue Ln	1,500,000.00
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Anticipation-Serial Issue:

Water	225,000.00
Electric	100,000.00
Sewer	160,000.00

Serial Loans:

Electric Building	175,000.00
Sewer Extension	160,000.00
Water Pump	65,000.00
Premium	<u>565.15</u>
	2,385,565.15

Agency, Trust and Investments:

Agency:

Dog Licenses	2,489.25
Sale of Dogs	54.00
Meter Deposit	6,585.00
Health Insurance Deductions	63,314.91
Health Insurance Paid In	4,287.82
Health Insurance Consortium	1,792.04
O.M.E. Deductions	595.06
O.M.E. Paid In	1,108.80
Life Insurance Deductions	1,826.74
Life Insurance Paid In	105.59
Life Insurance Consortium	40.15
Tax Sheltered Annuities Ded	20,527.35
Clothing Allowance Deduction	1,862.63
Advances	2,230.11
Payroll	
Workmens Comp	112.00

Revolving:

Police	13,878.00
General	<u>30.00</u>
	120,839.45

Trust:

Perpetual Care Bequests	5,270.00
Flower Fund Bequests	400.00
Eunice C Cowles Scholarship	500.00
Richard T Crane Picnic Reimb	1,182.40
Mrs. Wm G Brown Reimb Exp	<u>3,654.31</u>
	11,006.71

Investments:

Revenue Cash	1,000,000.00
Non-Revenue	48,000.00
Federal Revenue Sharing	<u>869,719.00</u>
	1,917,719.00

Refunds:

General Government	319.33
Public Safety	549.14
Health & Sanitation	60.00
Highways	276.52

DETAILED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Refunds: (Cont.)

Veterans Benefits	1,032.20
Schools	2,522.91
Libraries	246.35
Recreation	664.62
Retirement-Teachers	247.50
Insurance	37,814.10
Interest on Debt	487.50
Interest Tax Anticipation	698.76
Unclassified-Union	60.00
Electric	
Purchased Power	59,742.52
Other	2,286.13
Accrued Interest	106.67
R. T. Crane Picnic	1,061.43
	<u>108,175.68</u>
	<u>12,768,873.19</u>

Source: Town Accountant

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Departmental Expenditures:

Appropriation	5,179,705.16
Revenue Sharing	<u>403,680.04</u>
	5,583,385.20

Public Service Enterprises:

Electric:	
Operation	1,156,350.01
Building Construction	29,908.78
Depreciation	<u>69,596.26</u>
	1,255,855.05

Water:

Operation	107,672.09
Main Construction 1973	7,523.55
1971	11,323.98
1970	3,346.34
Plant & Investment	<u>2,698.25</u>
	132,564.21

Municipal Indebtedness:

Maturing Debt:	
General	294,000.00
Public Service Enterprise	121,000.00
Interest on Maturing Debt:	
General	59,270.75
Public Service Enterprise	26,820.50
Temporary Loans-	
Anticipation Revenue	1,500,000.00
Interest-Anticipation Lns	<u>31,522.51</u>
	2,032,613.76

State & County Assessments:

State Recreation Areas	32,225.64
Metropolitan Air Pollution	386.96
Metropolitan Area Planning	537.50
Shellfish Purification	3,855.07
Mosquito Control	13,755.60
Ipswich River Watershed	293.83
Motor Vehicle Excise Bills	1,058.10
State Assessment System	447.52
County Tax	<u>108,029.62</u>
	160,589.84

Agency:

Veterans District	12,108.36
County Dog Licenses Coll.	2,467.50
Bid & Performance Bond	500.00
Union Dues	60.00
Payroll Advances	2,383.82
Health Insurance:	
Deductions	61,099.65
Retiree	4,170.90
Consortium	1,912.69
Medex Deductions	517.44
OME	1,003.20
Life Insurance	
Deductions	1,769.35
Retirees	102.90
Consortium	43.45
Tax Sheltered Annuities	20,518.91
Clothing Allowance Deduction	<u>1,691.97</u>
	110,350.14

Trust:

Cemetery:	
Perpetual Care Bequests	5,115.00
Income	6,514.27
Flower Fund-Bequest	400.00
Income	354.05
Conservation Fund	10,308.29
Other Funds:	
John C. Kimball	25.18
Mrs. Wm G Brown-Income	181.88
Dog Pound	3,654.31
Marianna Jones	125.94
R T Crane Picnic-Income	2,249.31
Picnic Exp	1,182.40
Eunice C Cowles-Income	671.10
Scholarship	500.00
Mark Newman	505.90
Martha Savory	51.61
Dow Boulder	16.21
Appleton Memorial	<u>68.10</u>
	31,923.55

Investment:

Certificate of Deposit:	
Revenue	1,000,000.00
Federal Revenue Sharing	832,079.00
Stabilization	<u>12,011.95</u>
	1,844,090.95

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Refunds:

Taxes	14,882.62
Sewer Assessments	13.50
Motor Vehicle Excise	11,900.08
Electric Accounts Receivable	125.40
Water Accounts Receivable	453.67
Liens	601.89
Sewer Liens	59.57
Committed Interest	47.09
Meter Deposits	2,082.00
Meter Deposit Income	122.62
Health Insurance	247.20
Teacher Retirement	285.03
	<u>30,820.67</u>
Total Payments	<u><u>11,182,193.37</u></u>

Source: Town Accountant

CONSOLIDATED APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Operating Budget Moderator	<u>Balance</u>		<u>Appropriation Transfers</u>	<u>Refunds</u>	<u>Total</u>		<u>Balance Forward</u> to 6/30/74
	<u>Jan-1-1973</u>	<u>Jan-1-1973</u>			<u>Available</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	
Salaries	-0-	150.00	-0-	-0-	150.00	100.00	50.00
Expenses	-0-	40.00	-0-	-0-	40.00	-0-	40.00
Selectmen							
Salaries	-0-	9,942.00	(6.50)	-0-	9,935.50	6,107.53	3,827.97
Expenses	-0-	5,342.00	-0-	37.77	5,379.77	3,041.68	2,338.09
Capital Outlay	-0-	600.00	-0-	-0-	600.00	532.50	67.50
Finance Committee							
Salaries	-0-	150.00	-0-	-0-	150.00	135.81	14.19
Expenses	-0-	2,150.00	-0-	-0-	2,150.00	1,105.74	1,044.26
Reserve Fund	-0-	66,869.00	(16,714.98)*	-0-	50,154.02	-0-	50,154.02
Planning Board							
Salaries	-0-	825.00	-0-	-0-	825.00	531.25	293.75
Expenses	-0-	6,990.00	-0-	-0-	6,990.00	3,846.54	3,143.46
Capital Outlay	-0-	100.00	-0-	-0-	100.00	75.00	25.00
Election & Registration							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	8,700.00	-0-	100.00	8,800.00	4,174.36	4,625.64
Expenses	-0-	4,565.00	-0-	-0-	4,565.00	2,047.10	2,517.90
Appeals Board							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	270.00	-0-	-0-	270.00	175.00	95.00
Expenses	-0-	255.00	-0-	-0-	255.00	165.58	89.42
Capital Outlay	-0-	125.00	-0-	-0-	125.00	56.00	69.00
Town Manager							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	20,786.00	-0-	-0-	20,786.00	10,327.20	10,458.80
Expenses	-0-	13,500.00	-0-	84.50	13,584.50	8,151.72	5,432.78
Capital Outlay	-0-	3,375.00	-0-	-0-	3,375.00	3,335.55	39.45
Package Insurance	-0-	21,000.00	-0-	9,549.00	30,549.00	28,873.13	1,675.87
Public Official Bond	-0-	1,400.00	-0-	5.00	1,405.00	570.00	835.00
Workmens Compensation	-0-	18,000.00	-0-	27,306.00	45,306.00	37,340.00	7,966.00
Police & Fire Insurance	-0-	3,000.00	-0-	-0-	3,000.00	-0-	3,000.00
County Retirement	-0-	242,195.00	-0-	-0-	242,195.00	242,195.00	-0-
Health Insurance	-0-	90,000.00	9,028.63 *	430.75	99,459.38	63,936.18	35,523.20
Military Service Credits	-0-	20,000.00	-0-	-0-	20,000.00	9,306.30	10,693.70
Debt Principal Payment	-0-	294,000.00	-0-	-0-	294,000.00	294,000.00	-0-
Debt Interest Payment	-0-	102,590.00	-0-	487.50	103,077.50	59,758.25	43,319.25
Tax Anticipation Interest	-0-	40,000.00	-0-	698.76	40,698.76	31,522.51	9,176.25
Debt Issue Expense	-0-	5,000.00	-0-	-0-	5,000.00	-0-	5,000.00
Accounting							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	39,164.00	-0-	-0-	39,164.00	25,842.99	13,321.01
Expenses	-0-	10,702.00	-0-	-0-	10,702.00	5,795.43	4,906.57

CONSOLIDATED APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT

For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Operating Budget	Balance		Transfers	Refunds	Total		Balance Forward to 6/30/74
	Jan-1-1973	Appropriation			Available	Expenditures	
Treasurer - Collector							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	44,910.00	300.00*	-0-	45,210.00	29,909.24	15,300.76
Expenses	-0-	5,305.00	-0-	-0-	5,305.00	2,847.21	2,457.79
Capital Outlay	-0-	1,025.00	-0-	-0-	1,025.00	827.55	197.45
Assessors							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	36,855.00	-0-	-0-	36,855.00	23,252.65	13,602.35
Expenses	-0-	4,819.00	-0-	92.92	4,911.92	2,502.99	2,408.93
Capital Outlay	-0-	685.00	-0-	-0-	685.00	635.92	49.08
Town Clerk							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	18,402.00	-0-	-0-	18,402.00	12,568.29	5,833.71
Expenses	-0-	1,485.00	-0-	-0-	1,485.00	777.76	707.24
Capital Outlay	-0-	325.00	-0-	-0-	325.00	-0-	325.00
Legal							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	16,603.00	-0-	-0-	16,603.00	9,382.42	7,220.58
Expenses	-0-	555.00	-0-	-0-	555.00	140.00	415.00
Industrial Commission							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	150.00	-0-	-0-	150.00	50.00	100.00
Expenses	-0-	1,075.00	-0-	-0-	1,075.00	8.37	1,066.63
Capital Outlay	-0-	125.00	-0-	-0-	125.00	125.00	-0-
Historical Commission							
Expenses	-0-	450.00	-0-	-0-	450.00	21.15	428.85
Conservation Commission							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	750.00	-0-	-0-	750.00	498.13	251.87
Expenses	-0-	1,180.00	-0-	-0-	1,180.00	541.32	638.68
Capital Outlay	-0-	5,000.00	-0-	-0-	5,000.00	3,191.00	1,809.00
Historic District	-0-	340.00	-0-	-0-	340.00	-0-	340.00
Youth Commission							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	15,230.00	-0-	-0-	15,230.00	8,451.00	6,779.00
Expenses	-0-	13,660.00	-0-	-0-	13,660.00	7,463.15	6,196.85
Police							
Salaries & Wages:							
Chief-Base	-0-	14,851.00	-0-	-0-	14,851.00	7,536.00	7,315.00
Holiday	-0-	956.00	-0-	-0-	956.00	729.52	226.48
Incentive	-0-	2,485.00	111.80*	-0-	2,596.80	2,596.80	-0-
Sergeants-Base	-0-	26,098.00	-0-	-0-	26,098.00	12,338.32	13,759.68
Holiday	-0-	1,813.00	-0-	-0-	1,813.00	1,353.33	459.67
Incentive	-0-	1,525.00	45.50*	-0-	1,570.50	1,570.50	-0-
Patrolmen-Base	-0-	147,190.00	-0-	-0-	147,190.00	92,968.75	54,221.25
Holiday	-0-	6,631.00	-0-	-0-	6,631.00	5,112.90	1,518.10
Incentive	-0-	6,990.00	74.22*	-0-	7,064.22	7,064.22	-0-

CONSOLIDATED APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT

For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Operating Budget Police (Cont)	<u>Balance</u>		<u>Transfers</u>	<u>Refunds</u>	<u>Total</u>		<u>Balance Forward</u> to 6/30/74
	<u>Jan-1-73</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>			<u>Available</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	
New Patrolman-Base	-0-	8,252.00	-0-	-0-	8,252.00	3,501.39	4,750.61
Holiday	-0-	275.00	-0-	-0-	275.00	165.15	109.85
Other Salaries	-0-	4,669.00	-0-	-0-	4,669.00	3,385.89	1,283.11
Shift Differential	-0-	3,034.00	-0-	-0-	3,034.00	2,112.10	921.90
Court Fees	-0-	9,000.00	-0-	-0-	9,000.00	6,222.86	2,777.14
Overtime	-0-	17,500.00	885.00*	-0-	18,385.00	18,112.67	272.33
Expenses	-0-	6,460.00	465.00*	-0-	6,925.00	5,496.38	1,428.62
Capital Outlay	-0-	310.00	-0-	-0-	310.00	178.65	131.35
Fire							
Salaries & Wages							
Chief-Base	-0-	15,671.00	-0-	-0-	15,671.00	7,113.90	8,557.10
Holiday	-0-	988.00	-0-	-0-	988.00	721.27	266.73
Incentive	-0-	-0-	400.00*	-0-	400.00	400.00	-0-
Captains-Base	-0-	26,480.00	-0-	-0-	26,480.00	11,448.26	15,031.74
Holiday	-0-	1,788.00	-0-	-0-	1,788.00	1,274.94	513.06
Firefighters-Base	-0-	137,652.00	-0-	-0-	137,652.00	78,734.13	58,917.87
Holiday	-0-	6,410.00	-0-	-0-	6,410.00	4,628.99	1,781.01
Incentive	-0-	400.00	-0-	-0-	400.00	-0-	400.00
New Firefighters-Base	-0-	17,048.00	-0-	-0-	17,048.00	10,511.44	6,536.56
Holiday	-0-	721.00	-0-	-0-	721.00	457.10	263.90
Overtime	-0-	8,264.00	-0-	-0-	8,264.00	8,110.17	153.83
Call Lieutenant	-0-	3,150.00	-0-	-0-	3,150.00	2,100.00	1,050.00
Call Operator	-0-	1,050.00	-0-	-0-	1,050.00	700.00	350.00
Call Men	-0-	23,400.00	-0-	50.00	23,450.00	13,950.00	9,500.00
Expenses	-0-	4,470.00	-0-	-0-	4,470.00	2,536.47	1,933.53
Capital Outlay	-0-	9,700.00	100.00*	-0-	9,800.00	6,315.56	3,484.44
Civil Defense							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	2,050.00	-0-	-0-	2,050.00	1,364.88	685.12
Expenses	-0-	1,550.00	-0-	-0-	1,550.00	925.70	624.30
Capital Outlay	-0-	1,175.00	-0-	-0-	1,175.00	820.30	354.70
Shellfish							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	14,902.00	-0-	-0-	14,902.00	9,894.00	5,008.00
Expenses	-0-	11,200.00	-0-	-0-	11,200.00	1,438.19	9,761.81
Harbors							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	3,000.00	-0-	-0-	3,000.00	1,999.98	1,000.02
Expenses	-0-	800.00	400.00*	-0-	1,200.00	997.84	202.16
Health							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	23,162.00	-0-	-0-	23,162.00	14,636.02	8,525.98
Expenses	-0-	16,333.00	-0-	-0-	16,333.00	10,367.71	5,965.29
Capital Outlay	-0-	-0-	767.46*	-0-	767.46	755.72	11.74

CONSOLIDATED APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT

For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

	Balance Jan-1-1973	Appropriation	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Expenditures	Balance Forward to 6/30/74
Operating Budget							
Rubbish Collection	-0-	40,000.00	-0-	-0-	40,000.00	40,000.00	-0-
Garbage Collection	-0-	22,000.00	-0-	-0-	22,000.00	20,312.49	1,687.51
Dump Maintenance	-0-	24,000.00	2,500.00*	-0-	26,500.00	25,108.10	1,391.90
Veterans Services	-0-	216,750.00	-0-	1,032.20	217,782.20	107,023.97	110,758.23
Public Works Administration							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	18,771.00	251.43	-0-	19,022.43	12,781.41	6,241.02
Expenses	-0-	3,335.00	-0-	181.00	3,516.00	2,069.58	1,446.42
Building Inspector							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	10,745.00	-0-	-0-	10,745.00	4,602.46	6,142.54
Expenses	-0-	1,320.00	130.00*	-0-	1,450.00	1,112.12	337.88
Capital Outlay	-0-	100.00	-0-	-0-	100.00	75.00	25.00
Town Hall							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	10,369.00	-0-	-0-	10,369.00	6,890.40	3,478.60
Expenses	-0-	9,900.00	-0-	-0-	9,900.00	6,308.54	3,591.46
Capital Outlay	-0-	5,000.00	-0-	-0-	5,000.00	-0-	5,000.00
Memorial Building							
Expenses	-0-	3,765.00	-0-	-0-	3,765.00	1,324.04	2,440.96
Sewer Plant							
Expenses	-0-	760.00	-0-	-0-	760.00	477.94	282.06
Fire Station							
Expenses	-0-	4,300.00	1,248.60*	-0-	5,548.60	2,505.61	3,042.99
Capital Outlay	-0-	7,000.00	-0-	-0-	7,000.00	5,886.00	1,114.00
Town Garage							
Expenses	-0-	3,960.00	-0-	-0-	3,960.00	2,116.74	1,843.26
Capital Outlay	-0-	750.00	-0-	-0-	750.00	750.00	-0-
Cemetery Building							
Expenses	-0-	730.00	-0-	-0-	730.00	283.58	446.42
Capital Outlay	-0-	370.00	-0-	-0-	370.00	369.00	1.00
Park Building							
Expenses	-0-	1,400.00	457.07	-0-	1,857.07	1,342.69	514.38
Rental	-0-	3,600.00	-0-	-0-	3,600.00	2,255.43	1,344.57
Library Building							
Expenses	-0-	3,455.00	-0-	-0-	3,455.00	2,128.48	1,326.52
Capital Outlay	-0-	600.00	-0-	-0-	600.00	390.00	210.00
Highway							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	60,160.00	-0-	-0-	60,160.00	22,751.24	37,408.76
Expenses	-0-	104,260.00	-0-	95.52	104,355.52	87,458.30	16,897.22
Capital Outlay	-0-	27,500.00	-0-	-0-	27,500.00	11,039.52	16,460.48
Equipment Maintenance							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	26,470.00	-0-	-0-	26,470.00	17,395.02	9,074.98
Expenses	-0-	35,620.00	8,593.33	-0-	44,213.33	22,218.87	21,994.46

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	Balance Jan-1-1973	Appropriation	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Expenditures	Balance Forward to 6/30/74
Operating Budget							
Equipment Maintenance (Cont.)							
Capital Outlay	-0-	900.00	-0-	-0-	900.00	900.00	-0-
Snow Removal							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	8,000.00	-0-	-0-	8,000.00	3,187.11	4,812.89
Expenses	-0-	12,500.00	-0-	-0-	12,500.00	9,375.64	3,124.36
Capital Outlay	-0-	8,000.00	-0-	-0-	8,000.00	1,308.50	6,691.50
Forestry							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	35,857.00	-0-	-0-	35,857.00	17,941.01	17,915.99
Expenses	-0-	18,435.00	-0-	-0-	18,435.00	13,064.65	5,370.35
Capital Outlay	-0-	8,600.00	-0-	-0-	8,600.00	6,524.85	2,075.15
Recreation							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	45,121.00	-0-	-0-	45,121.00	23,680.05	21,440.95
Expenses	-0-	8,070.00	-0-	-0-	8,070.00	3,985.32	4,084.68
Capital Outlay	-0-	8,250.00	-0-	-0-	8,250.00	6,385.30	1,864.70
Cemeteries							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	42,380.00	-0-	-0-	42,380.00	17,145.45	25,234.55
Expenses	-0-	11,434.00	-0-	-0-	11,434.00	6,101.29	5,332.71
Capital Outlay	-0-	4,000.00	-0-	-0-	4,000.00	975.00	3,025.00
Education-1000	-0-	123,695.00	-0-	415.58	124,110.58	73,057.35	51,053.23
2000	-0-	3,348,489.00	-0-	1,089.67	3,349,578.67	2,148,233.35	1,201,345.32
3000	-0-	502,388.51	20,955.12	81.60	523,425.23	330,657.39	192,767.84
4000	-0-	366,380.00	-0-	114.01	366,494.01	243,456.46	123,037.55
5000	-0-	45,345.00	-0-	-0-	45,345.00	12,751.00	32,594.00
7000	-0-	51,069.00	-0-	-0-	51,069.00	29,794.16	21,274.84
9000	-0-	4,686.00	-0-	-0-	4,686.00	4,200.64	485.36
Library							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	76,913.00	-0-	241.40	77,154.40	47,598.64	29,555.76
Expenses	-0-	23,830.00	-0-	4.95	23,834.95	18,562.20	5,272.75
Capital Outlay	-0-	1,700.00	-0-	-0-	1,700.00	803.25	896.75
Sewer							
Salaries & Wages	-0-	27,790.00	-0-	-0-	27,790.00	18,630.40	9,159.60
Expenses	-0-	15,795.00	-0-	60.00	15,855.00	9,412.15	6,442.35
	-0-	7,236,734.51	29,991.68	42,158.13	7,308,884.32	4,763,597.69	2,545,286.63
Special Article/Capital Outlay							
Land Takings	7,500.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	7,500.00	-0-	7,500.00
Coding By-Laws	4,100.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	4,100.00	-0-	4,100.00
Tax Title Foreclosure	-0-	-0-	5,000.00**	4.14	5,004.14	75.00	4,929.14
Comprehensive Plan	241.83	-0-	-0-	-0-	241.83	241.83	-0-

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<u>Operating Budget</u>	<u>Balance</u>		<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Transfers</u>	<u>Refunds</u>	<u>Total</u>		<u>Balance Forward to 6/30/74</u>
	<u>Jan-1-1973</u>	<u>Outlay (Cont.)</u>				<u>Available</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	
Special Articles/Capital								
Whittier School	-0-		488,972.00	-0-	-0-	488,972.00	308,543.00	180,429.00
MBTA Contract	10,387.09		-0-	-0-	-0-	10,387.09	-0-	10,387.09
Town Hall Improvements	447.18		-0-	-0-	-0-	447.18	137.90	309.28
Unpaid Bills	-0-		8,501.30	-0-	-0-	8,501.30	7,889.30	612.00
Chapter 90 Maintenance	-0-		4,500.00	-0-	-0-	4,500.00	142.34	4,357.66
Chapter 90 Construction	39,000.00		39,000.00	-0-	-0-	78,000.00	-0-	78,000.00
Ipswich Promotion	-0-		700.00	-0-	-0-	700.00	700.00	-0-
Miles River Improvement	5,000.00		-0-	-0-	-0-	5,000.00	-0-	5,000.00
Sewer Treatment Plant	2,463.52		-0-	-0-	-0-	2,463.52	-0-	2,463.52
Sewer Construt. Matching	7,000.00		-0-	-0-	-0-	7,000.00	-0-	7,000.00
North Main St. Sewer	3,764.68		-0-	-0-	-0-	3,764.68	3,677.25	87.43
Sewer Construction 1970	5,522.62		-0-	-0-	-0-	5,522.62	-0-	5,522.62
1971	95,495.80		-0-	-0-	12,011.20	107,507.00	10,362.36	97,144.64
1972	12,942.42		-0-	-0-	-0-	12,942.42	12,942.42	-0-
1973	-0-		15,000.00	-0-	-0-	15,000.00	13,029.74	1,970.26
County Road Sewer 1973	-0-		5,000.00	160,000.00***				
				45,000.00#		210,000.00	84,668.60	125,331.40
Payne School Renovation	2,430.12		-0-	-0-	-0-	2,430.12	2,256.80	173.32
Fire Ladder Truck	80,000.00		-0-	-0-	-0-	80,000.00	71,227.67	8,772.33
Recreation Lights	1,000.00		-0-	-0-	-0-	1,000.00	-0-	1,000.00
School Building Needs	410.47		-0-	-0-	-0-	410.47	75.50	334.97
Storm Disaster 1972	3,718.10		-0-	(1,785.04)	-0-	1,933.06	-0-	1,933.06
	281,423.83	561,673.30	208,214.96	12,015.34	1,063,327.43	515,969.71	547,357.72	

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Encumbrances	Balance	Jan-1-1973	Appropriation	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Expenditures	Balance
	Jan-1-1973							to 6/30/74
Sub Division Inspection	3,000.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	3,000.00	192.00	2,808.00
P.C.D.	4,893.30	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	4,893.30	215.87	4,677.43
Comprehensive Plan	4,809.15	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	4,809.15	4,809.15	-0-
Election & Registration	797.61	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	797.61	604.50	193.11
Town Manager	100.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	100.00	86.07	13.93
Accounting-Budget	1,000.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,000.00	97.05	902.95
Assessors	1,500.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,500.00	-0-	1,500.00
Police	(223.14)	-0-	-0-	-0-	223.14	-0-	-0-	-0-
Police	162.75	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	162.75	162.75	-0-
Veterans Services	27,544.35	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	27,544.35	18,216.68	9,327.67
Snow Removal	(8,053.54)	-0-	-0-	8,097.38**	-0-	43.84	43.84	-0-
Cemetery	200.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	200.00	6.34	193.66
Education	18,267.93	-0-	-0-	-0-	177.05	18,444.98	13,207.64	5,237.34
Sewer Operating	225.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	225.00	142.88	82.12
Town Garage	500.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	500.00	-0-	500.00
Fire Dept.	180.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	180.00	168.00	12.00
Civil Defense	1,296.65	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,296.65	1,296.45	.20
Health	140.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	140.00	140.00	-0-
Library Building	50.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	50.00	-0-	50.00
Equipment Maintenance	1,899.75	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,899.75	-0-	1,899.75
Recreation	300.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	300.00	-0-	300.00
Industrial Commission	799.66	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	799.66	154.00	645.66
	-0-	-0-	-0-	11.00	-0-	11.00	11.00	-0-
	59,389.47	-0-	-0-	8,108.38	400.19	67,898.04	39,554.22	28,343.82

Source: Town Accountant

Codes:

Reserve Fund *
Recap Tax Rate **
Bond Issue ***
Housing Auth. #

CONSOLIDATED APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT

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Revenue Sharing	Balance	Appropriation	Transfers	Refunds	Total		Balance Forward
	Jan-1-1973				Available	Expenditures	
Planning Board Expenses	-0-	10,000.00	-0-	-0-	10,000.00	16.00	9,984.00
Town Manager Salaries	-0-	30,000.00	-0-	-0-	30,000.00	23,515.12	6,484.88
Town Manager Expenses	-0-	10,000.00	-0-	-0-	10,000.00	3,991.54	6,008.46
Police Dept. Salaries	-0-	60,000.00	-0-	4.00	60,004.00	60,000.00	4.00
Police Dept. Expenses	-0-	10,000.00	-0-	-0-	10,000.00	4,649.81	5,350.19
Police Dept. Capital	-0-	10,000.00	-0-	-0-	10,000.00	9,711.15	288.85
Fire Dept. Salaries	-0-	60,000.00	-0-	272.00	60,272.00	60,000.00	272.00
Fire Dept. Expenses	-0-	10,000.00	-0-	-0-	10,000.00	5,875.11	4,124.89
Fire Building	-0-	10,000.00	-0-	-0-	10,000.00	10,000.00	-0-
Garbage Collection	-0-	20,000.00	-0-	-0-	20,000.00	4,500.00	15,500.00
Rubbish Collection	-0-	40,000.00	-0-	-0-	40,000.00	9,208.29	30,791.71
Dump Maintenance	-0-	30,000.00	-0-	-0-	30,000.00	5,633.34	24,366.66
Highway Salaries	-0-	50,000.00	-0-	-0-	50,000.00	50,000.00	-0-
Highway Expenses	-0-	20,000.00	-0-	-0-	20,000.00	20,000.00	-0-
Equipment Maintenance Exp	-0-	20,000.00	-0-	-0-	20,000.00	19,973.15	26.85
Snow & Ice Salaries	-0-	20,000.00	-0-	-0-	20,000.00	471.33	19,528.67
Snow & Ice Expenses	-0-	20,000.00	-0-	-0-	20,000.00	1,246.00	18,754.00
Snow & Ice Rental	-0-	10,000.00	-0-	-0-	10,000.00	-0-	10,000.00
Forestry Salaries	-0-	20,000.00	-0-	-0-	20,000.00	20,000.00	-0-
Forestry Capital	-0-	10,000.00	-0-	-0-	10,000.00	195.00	9,805.00
Recreation Salaries	-0-	30,000.00	-0-	244.83	30,244.83	30,244.83	-0-
Recreation Expenses	-0-	10,000.00	-0-	419.79	10,419.79	10,417.66	2.13
Cemetery Salaries	-0-	30,000.00	-0-	-0-	30,000.00	30,000.00	-0-
Workmen's Compensation ins.	-0-	20,000.00	-0-	-0-	20,000.00	7,709.00	12,291.00
Package Insurance	-0-	40,000.00	-0-	-0-	40,000.00	16,322.71	23,677.29
	-0-	600,000.00	-0-	940.62	600,940.62	403,680.04	197,260.58

Revenue Sharing Funds:

Grant Received	551,510.00
Income	11,202.61
Refund	940.62
	<u>563,653.23</u>
Expenditures	403,680.04
Balance	<u>159,973.19</u>
Due	48,490.00

Source: Town Accountant

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
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<u>MODERATOR</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	190.00
	<u>190.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries	100.00
To 1974	90.00
	<u>190.00</u>
<u>SELECTMEN</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	15,884.00
	<u>15,884.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries	6,114.03
Administration	2,104.91
Departmental S & S	899.00
Capital Outlay-Typewriter	532.50
	<u>9,650.44</u>
To 1974	6,233.56
	<u>15,884.00</u>
<u>FINANCE COMMITTEE</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	2,300.00
	<u>2,300.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries	135.81
Administration	1,105.74
	<u>1,241.55</u>
To 1974	1,058.45
	<u>2,300.00</u>
<u>RESERVE FUND</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	66,869.00
	<u>66,869.00</u>
Transfers:	
Harbors	400.00
Dump Maintenance	2,500.00
Treasurer	300.00
Health Insurance	9,000.00
Police	1,581.52
Building Inspector	130.00
Health Bldg.	767.46
Fire Building	1,634.60
Fire	500.00
	<u>16,813.58</u>
To 1974	50,055.42
	<u>66,869.00</u>
<u>PLANNING BOARD</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	7,915.00
	<u>7,915.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries	531.25
Administration	3,846.54
Capital Outlay-File Cabinet	75.00
	<u>4,452.79</u>

<u>PLANNING BOARD (Cont.)</u>	
Expenditures:	
To 1974	3,462.21
	<u>7,915.00</u>
<u>ELECTION & REGISTRATION</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	13,265.00
	<u>13,265.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries	4,074.36
Administration	2,047.10
	<u>6,121.46</u>
To 1974	7,143.54
	<u>13,265.00</u>
<u>APPEALS BOARD</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	650.00
	<u>650.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries	175.00
Administration	165.58
Capital Outlay-File Cabinet	56.00
	<u>396.58</u>
To 1974	253.42
	<u>650.00</u>
<u>TOWN MANAGER</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	77,661.00
	<u>77,661.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries	33,842.32
Administration	7,744.36
Town Report	4,276.40
Special Items	38.00
Capital Outlay	
Vehicle	3,183.00
Adding Machine	152.55
	<u>49,236.63</u>
To 1974	28,424.37
	<u>77,661.00</u>
<u>INSURANCE</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	103,400.00
	<u>103,400.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Package	35,646.84
Officials Bond	565.00
Workmen's Comp.	17,743.00
	<u>53,954.84</u>
To 1974	49,445.16
	<u>103,400.00</u>
<u>EMPLOYEES BENEFITS</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	352,195.00
Reserve Fund	9,000.00
	<u>361,195.00</u>

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EMPLOYEES BENEFITS (Cont.)

Expenditures:	
Retirement	242,195.00
Health Insurance	63,351.10
Military Credits	9,306.30
	<u>314,852.40</u>
To 1974	<u>46,342.60</u>
	<u>361,195.00</u>

DEBT SERVICE

Available:	
Appropriation	441,590.00
	<u>441,590.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Debt Principal	294,000.00
Debt Interest	59,270.75
Anticipation Interest	30,823.75
	<u>384,094.50</u>
To 1974	<u>57,495.50</u>
	<u>441,590.00</u>

ACCOUNTING

Available:	
Appropriation	49,866.00
	<u>49,866.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	25,842.99
Administration	5,795.43
	<u>31,638.42</u>
To 1974	<u>18,227.58</u>
	<u>49,866.00</u>

TREASURER-COLLECTOR

Available:	
Appropriation	51,240.00
Reserve Fund	300.00
	<u>51,540.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	29,909.24
Administration	2,847.21
Capital Outlay	
Typewriter	603.00
Adding Machine	224.55
	<u>33,584.00</u>
To 1974	<u>17,956.00</u>
	<u>51,540.00</u>

ASSESSOR

Available:	
Appropriation	42,359.00
	<u>42,359.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	23,252.65
Administration	2,410.07
Capital Outlay	
Calculator	635.92
	<u>26,298.64</u>
To 1974	<u>16,060.36</u>
	<u>42,359.00</u>

TOWN CLERK

Available:	
Appropriation	20,212.00
	<u>20,212.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	12,568.29
Administration	777.76
	<u>13,346.05</u>
To 1974	<u>6,865.95</u>
	<u>20,212.00</u>

LEGAL

Available:	
Appropriation	17,158.00
	<u>17,158.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	9,382.42
Administration	140.00
	<u>9,522.42</u>
To 1974	<u>7,635.58</u>
	<u>17,158.00</u>

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

Available:	
Appropriation	1,350.00
	<u>1,350.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	50.00
Administration	8.37
Capital Outlay	
File Cabinet	56.00
Typewriter	69.00
	<u>183.37</u>
To 1974	<u>1,166.63</u>
	<u>1,350.00</u>

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Available:	
Appropriation	450.00
	<u>450.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Administration	11.15
Departmental S & S	10.00
	<u>21.15</u>
To 1974	<u>428.85</u>
	<u>450.00</u>

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Available:	
Appropriation	6,930.00
	<u>6,930.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	498.13
Administration	541.32
Capital Outlay	
Appraisal	3,191.00
	<u>4,230.45</u>
To 1974	<u>2,699.55</u>
	<u>6,930.00</u>

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

<u>HISTORICAL DISTRICT</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	340.00
	<u>340.00</u>
Expenditures:	
To 1974	340.00
	<u>340.00</u>

<u>YOUTH COMMISSION</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	28,890.00
	<u>28,890.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	8,451.00
Administration	2,652.10
Physical Plant	4,811.05
	<u>15,914.15</u>
	<u>12,975.85</u>
	<u>28,890.00</u>

<u>POLICE</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	338,039.00
Reserve Fund	1,581.52
	<u>339,620.52</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	224,766.40
Administration	7,463.09
Departmental S & S	2,533.10
Special Items	
Out of State	150.00
Capital Outlay	
Cruisers	8,958.24
Revolvers	131.56
File Cabinets	100.00
Photo Equipment	700.00
	<u>244,802.39</u>
To 1974	94,818.13
	<u>339,620.52</u>

<u>FIRE</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	327,192.00
Reserve Fund	500.00
	<u>327,692.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	199,828.20
Administration	3,363.71
Departmental S & S	843.85
Equipment	3,936.02
Special Items	
Out of State	100.00
Capital Outlay	
Chief Car	3,120.50
New Hose	998.00
Beds	200.00

<u>FIRE (Cont.)</u>	
Expenditures:	
Fire Alarm Ext.	1,905.86
Filing Cabinet	91.20
	<u>214,387.34</u>
To 1974	113,304.66
	<u>327,692.00</u>

<u>CIVIL DEFENSE</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	4,775.00
	<u>4,775.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	1,364.88
Administration	565.64
Departmental S & S	244.28
Equipment	115.78
Capital Outlay	
Power Amplifier	300.00
Aux. Police Equip.	520.30
	<u>3,110.88</u>
To 1974	1,664.12
	<u>4,775.00</u>

<u>SHELLFISH</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	26,102.00
	<u>26,102.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	9,894.00
Administration	705.35
Departmental S & S	732.84
	<u>11,332.19</u>

<u>HARBORS</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	3,800.00
Reserve Fund	400.00
	<u>4,200.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	1,999.98
Administration	997.84
	<u>2,997.82</u>
To 1974	1,202.18
	<u>4,200.00</u>

<u>HEALTH</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	39,495.00
Reserve Fund	767.46
	<u>40,262.46</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	14,636.02
Administration	1,121.92
Departmental S & S	9,245.79
Capital Outlay	
Recycling Building	755.72
	<u>25,759.45</u>

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

<u>HEALTH (Cont.)</u>	
Expenditures:	
To 1974	14,503.01
	<u>40,262.46</u>
<u>HEALTH CONTRACTS</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	176,000.00
Reserve Fund	2,500.00
	<u>178,500.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Rubbish Collection	49,208.29
Garbage Collection	24,812.49
Dump Maintenance	30,741.44
	<u>104,762.22</u>
To 1974	73,737.78
	<u>178,500.00</u>
<u>VETERANS SERVICES</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	216,750.00
	<u>216,750.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Cash Allowance	51,524.28
Medical	45,420.45
Groceries	5,166.14
Fuel	3,060.20
Burial	820.70
	<u>105,991.77</u>
To 1974	110,758.23
	<u>216,750.00</u>
<u>PUBLIC WORKS ADMINISTRATION</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	22,106.00
	<u>22,106.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	12,529.98
Administration	1,888.58
	<u>14,418.56</u>
To 1974	7,687.44
	<u>22,106.00</u>
<u>BUILDING INSPECTOR</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	12,165.00
Reserve Fund	130.00
	<u>12,295.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	4,602.46
Administration	1,112.12
Capital Outlay	
File Cabinet	75.00
	<u>5,789.58</u>
To 1974	6,505.42
	<u>12,295.00</u>
<u>TOWN HALL</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	25,269.00
	<u>25,269.00</u>

<u>TOWN HALL (Cont.)</u>	
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	6,890.40
Physical Plant	6,308.54
	<u>13,198.94</u>
To 1974	12,070.06
	<u>25,269.00</u>
<u>MEMORIAL BUILDING</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	3,765.00
	<u>3,765.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Physical Plant	1,324.04
	<u>1,324.04</u>
To 1974	2,440.96
	<u>3,765.00</u>
<u>SEWAGE BUILDING</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	760.00
	<u>760.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Physical Plant	477.94
	<u>477.94</u>
To 1974	282.06
	<u>760.00</u>
<u>FIRE BUILDING</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	21,300.00
Reserve Fund	1,248.60
	<u>22,548.60</u>
Expenditures:	
Physical Plant	2,505.61
Capital Outlay	
Floor Repairs	15,886.00
	<u>18,391.61</u>
To 1974	4,156.99
	<u>22,548.60</u>
<u>TOWN GARAGE</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	4,710.00
	<u>4,710.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Physical Plant	2,116.74
Capital Outlay	
Overhead Door	750.00
	<u>2,866.74</u>
To 1974	1,843.26
	<u>4,710.00</u>
<u>CEMETERY BUILDING</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	1,100.00
	<u>1,100.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Physical Plant	283.58
Capital Outlay	
Plumbing	369.00
	<u>652.58</u>

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<u>CEMETERY BUILDING (Cont.)</u>	
To 1974	447.42
	<u>1,100.00</u>
<u>PARK BUILDING</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	5,000.00
	<u>5,000.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Physical Plant	885.62
Building Rent	2,255.43
	<u>3,141.05</u>
To 1974	1,858.95
	<u>5,000.00</u>
<u>LIBRARY BUILDING</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	4,055.00
	<u>4,055.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Physical Plant	2,128.48
Capital Outlay	
Oil Burner	390.00
	<u>2,518.48</u>
To 1974	1,536.52
	<u>4,055.00</u>
<u>HIGHWAY</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	2,619.20
	<u>2,619.20</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	72,751.24
Administration	1,020.34
Physical Plant	45,392.13
Departmental S & S	33,590.31
Equipment	27,360.00
Capital Outlay	
Sidewalk Tractor	7,978.00
Drainage-Charlotte	3,061.52
	<u>191,153.54</u>
To 1974	70,766.46
	<u>261,920.00</u>
<u>EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	82,990.00
	<u>82,990.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	17,395.02
Administration	398.53
Departmental S & S	614.18
Equipment	32,585.98
Capital Outlay	
Air Compressor	900.00
	<u>51,893.71</u>
To 1974	31,096.29
	<u>82,990.00</u>

<u>SNOW & ICE CONTROL</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	78,500.00
	<u>78,500.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	3,658.44
Administration	132.00
Departmental S & S	10,489.64
Equipment Rental	1,308.50
	<u>15,588.58</u>
To 1974	62,911.42
	<u>78,500.00</u>

<u>FORESTRY</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	92,892.00
	<u>92,892.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	37,941.01
Administration	800.15
Departmental S & S	7,859.14
Equipment	3,661.43
Special Item	
Dune Restoration	743.93
Capital Outlay	
Saw	593.85
Sky Worker	6,126.00
	<u>57,725.51</u>
To 1974	35,166.49
	<u>92,892.00</u>

<u>RECREATION & PARKS</u>	
Available:	
Appropriation	101,441.00
	<u>101,441.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	53,680.05
Administration	1,685.10
Physical Plant	1,518.90
Departmental S & S	9,917.39
Equipment	750.00
Special Items	
Out of State	111.80
Capital Outlay	
Tractor	3,560.00
Playground Equipment	1,055.30
Hottop Linebrook	435.00
Neck Causeway	500.00
Bleachers	835.00
	<u>74,048.54</u>
To 1974	27,392.46
	<u>101,441.00</u>

<u>CEMETERY</u>	
Available:	87,814.00
Appropriation	<u>87,814.00</u>

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

CEMETERY (Cont.)

Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	47,145.45
Administration	1,010.25
Physical Plant	2,833.68
Departmental S & S	444.25
Equipment	1,813.11
Capital Outlay	
Tractor	975.00
	<u>54,221.74</u>
To 1974	<u>33,592.26</u>
	87,814.00

EDUCATION

Available:	
Appropriation	4,371,454.00
Court Decree	70,598.51
	<u>4,420,052.51</u>
Expenditures:	
Administration-1000	
Salaries & Wages	58,243.90
Expenditures	9,185.69
Instruction-2000	
Salaries & Wages	1,988,700.82
Expenditures	143,400.86
Other School Services-3000	
Salaries & Wages	55,339.48
Expenditures	240,627.10
Athletics-3510	
Salaries & Expenditures	34,609.21
Oper. & Maint.-4000	
Salaries & Wages	133,671.00
Expenditures	109,671.45
Fixed Charges-5000	12,751.00
Acquis. of Fixed Assets-7000	29,093.22
Other Districts-9000	4,200.64
	<u>2,819,494.37</u>
To 1974	<u>1,622,558.14</u>
	4,442,052.51

LIBRARY

Available:	
Appropriation	102,443.00
	<u>102,443.00</u>
Expenditures	
Salaries & Wages	47,357.24
Administration	1,443.64
Departmental S & S	17,096.81
Special Item	
Out of State	16.80
Capital Outlay	
Shelving	803.25
	<u>66,717.74</u>
To 1974	<u>35,725.26</u>
	102,443.00

SEWER OPERATING

Available:	
Appropriation	43,585.00
	<u>43,585.00</u>
Expenditures:	
Salaries & Wages	18,630.40
Administration	1,000.39
Physical Plant	35.00
Departmental S & S	2,796.31
Equipment	5,520.95
	<u>27,983.05</u>
To 1974	<u>15,601.95</u>
	43,585.00

SPECIAL ARTICLES / CAPITAL OUTLAY

Available:	
Balance	279,638.79
Appropriation	561,673.30
Recap Tax Rate	5,000.00
Water Pollution Control	12,011.20
Bond Issue	160,000.00
Housing Authority	45,000.00
	<u>1,063,323.29</u>
Expenditures:	
Tax Title Foreclosure	70.86
Comprehensive Plan	241.83
Whittier Regional	308,543.00
Town Hall Imp.	137.90
Ipswich Promotion	700.00
Unpaid Bills	7,889.30
Chapter 90 Maint.	142.34
North Main St. Sewer	3,677.25
Sewer Construction 1971	10,362.36
Sewer Construction 1972	12,942.42
Sewer Construction 1973	84,668.60
Sewer Construction 1973	13,029.74
Payne School Renovation	2,256.80
Ladder Truck	71,227.67
School Building Needs	75.50
	<u>515,965.57</u>
To 1974	<u>547,357.72</u>
	1,063,323.29

ENCUMBRANCES

Available:	
Balance	59,400.47
Refund	223.14
Recap Tax Rate	8,097.38
	<u>67,720.99</u>
Expenditures:	
Sub Division Insp.	192.00
P. C. D.	215.87
Comprehensive Plan	4,809.15
Elections	604.50

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
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<u>ENCUMBRANCES (Cont.)</u>	
Manager	86.07
Accounting	97.05
Police	162.75
Veterans Services	18,216.68
Snow Removal	43.84
Cemetery	6.34
Education	13,030.59
Sewer Operation	142.88
Fire	168.00
Civil Defense	1,296.45
Health	140.00
Recreation	154.00
Industrial Commission	11.00
	<u>39,377.17</u>
To 1974	<u>28,343.82</u>
	67,720.99

Source: Town Accountant

FEOFFEEES OF THE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

IPSWICH, MASS. 01938

WILLIAM F. HAYES
JEROME RICHARDSON

HARRY E. MUNRO
DONALD F. WHISTON

Financial Statement 1973

Balance January 1, 1973	\$ 4,415.66
Cash received 1973	<u>92,366.08</u>
	96,781.74
Expenditures 1973	<u>95,234.96</u>
Balance December 31, 1973	1,546.78

Little Neck (Land only) valued at		\$97,500.00
Store Building		4,600.00
Barn		1,090.00
Wharf		1,019.00
Cash in First Nat'l Bank Ipswich		1,546.78
On deposit Ipswich Savings Bank	2,858.50	
Interest	<u>233.87</u>	3,092.37
On deposit Ipswich Savings Bank		
Farm account	5,144.97	
Interest	<u>235.60</u>	5,380.57
On deposit Ipswich Savings Bank		
Special Notice account	3,084.64	
Interest	<u>179.06</u>	3,263.70
On deposit Ipswich Co-op. Bank	6,177.01	
Interest and Dividends	<u>448.98</u>	6,625.99

	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Value</u>	
234 Sh. 1st Nat'l Bost. Corp.	2,748.18	9,564.75	
140 Sh. Shawm. Ass'n. Corp.	2,748.63	5,250.00	
Ipswich Co-op Paid-up Cert.	2,000.00	<u>2,000.00</u>	
			<u>16,814.75</u>
			\$140,933.16

\$7,500.00 was given to the Town for support of schools.

The following taxes were paid to the Town of Ipswich:

Land	Assessed Value	97,500.00	\$ 5,362.50
Store	" "	4,600.00	253.00
Barn	" "	1,090.00	59.95
Wharf	" "	1,019.00	56.04
Cottages	" "	<u>1,084,540.00</u>	<u>59,649.70</u>
		1,188,749.00	65,381.19


Treasurer/Manager

TRUSTEES OF MANNING SCHOOL FUNDS

DONALD F. WHISTON AND DAVID C. WILLIAMS, SR.

MANNING SCHOOL FUNDS

January 1, 1973

Balance in Account #14293, Ipswich Savings Bank	\$50,769.53
Balance in Account # 7884, Ipswich Savings Bank	25,190.30
Balance in Account # 1995, Ipswich Co-op Bank	<u>6,138.29</u>
	\$82,098.12
Income from Interest and Dividends:	<u>5,304.83</u>
	\$87,402.95

Less Disbursements:

Rental of Safe Deposit Box	\$ 5.00	
Supplies for Ipswich High School	<u>\$1323.00</u>	<u>1,328.00</u>
		\$86,074.95

ASSETS IN FUNDS

December 31, 1973

Balance in Account #14293, Ipswich Savings Bank	\$50,769.53
Balance in Account # 7884, Ipswich Savings Bank	25,190.30
Balance in Account # 1995, Ipswich Co-op Bank	<u>10,115.12</u>
	\$86,074.95

SECURITIES AT BOOK VALUE

138 Shares, First National Bank of Boston	\$2,998.20	
20 Shares, Ipswich Cooperative Bank	<u>4,000.00</u>	<u>6,998.20</u>
		\$93,073.15

David C. Williams, Treasurer

BURLEY EDUCATION FUND

BALANCE ON HAND JANUARY 1, 1973:

\$12,548.27

INCOME FROM FUNDS FOR YEAR 1972 AS FOLLOWS:

Interest - Salem Savings Bank	\$ 122.76	
Interest - Salem Five Cents Savings Bank	118.81	
Interest - Ipswich Savings Bank	211.64	
Interest - Ipswich Savings Bank (Caldwell Fund)	124.42	
Dividend - Ipswich Co-operative Bank	55.14	632.77
<u>Total Income</u>		13,181.04

EXPENDITURES:

Equipment	1,983.00	
Safe Deposit Box Rent	5.00	1,988.00
<u>Total Expense</u>		<u>\$11,193.04</u>

BALANCE ON HAND JANUARY 1, 1973 AS FOLLOWS:

Deposited in Salem Savings Bank	2,400.98	
Deposited in Salem Five Cents Savings Bank	2,138.53	
Deposited in Ipswich Savings Bank (Caldwell Fund)	4,134.23	
Deposited in Ipswich Savings Bank	1,519.30	
Ipswich Co-operative Bank - Paid Up Certificate	1,000.00	
<u>Total Invested Funds</u>		<u>\$11,193.04</u>

Respectfully submitted,

BURLEY EDUCATION FUND



Wilmot E. Hall, Treasurer

BURLEY EDUCATION FUND

BALANCE ON HAND JANUARY 1, 1973:

\$11,193.04

INCOME FROM FUNDS FOR YEAR 1973 AS FOLLOWS:

Interest - Salem Savings Bank	\$ 131.23	
Interest - Salem Five Cents Savings Bank	106.94	
Interest - Ipswich Savings Bank	318.51	
Interest - Ipswich Savings Bank (Caldwell Fund)	83.55	
Dividend - Ipswich Co-operative Bank	55.75	695.98
<u>Total Income</u>		11,889.02

EXPENDITURES:

Safe Deposit Box Rent	5.00	5.00
<u>Total Expense</u>		<u>\$11,884.02</u>

BALANCE ON HAND JANUARY 1, 1974 AS FOLLOWS:

Deposited in Salem Savings Bank	2,532.21	
Deposited in Salem Five Cents Savings Bank	2,245.47	
Deposited in Ipswich Savings Bank (Caldwell Fund)	4,452.74	
Deposited in Ipswich Savings Bank	1,653.60	
Ipswich Co-operative Bank - Paid Up Certificate	1,000.00	
<u>Total Invested Funds</u>		<u>\$11,884.02</u>

Respectfully submitted,

BURLEY EDUCATION FUND



Wilmot E. Hall, Treasurer

BROWN SCHOOL FUND

Treasurer's Report 12th January 1974

Balance 29th December 1972	3764.16	
Salem Five Cents Savings Bank		
Interest thru 31st December 1973	<u>205.79</u>	3969.95
Balance 29th December 1972	2690.89	
Ipswich Savings Bank		
Interest thru 31st December 1973	<u>145.49</u>	<u>2836.38</u>
Total Balance 31st December 1973	3969.95 <u>2836.38</u>	6806.33

J. Perry Smith
Treasurer

Certified:

Charlotte E. Terry
12th January 1974

IPSWICH PUBLIC LIBRARY

<u>Trust Funds - 1973</u>	<u>Book Value</u>	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Lower of Cost or Market</u>	<u>1973 Income</u>
Treadwell	\$23,177	\$38,895	\$20,130	\$1,503
Heard	10,058	17,287	8,712	736
Lathrop	1,855	1,855	1,855	102
Spiller	1,812	1,557	1,557	87
Newman	5,603	5,395	5,395	276
Building	24,473	24,007	24,007	1,274
Memorial Book	920	920	920	46
Wales Endowment	285	285	285	15
Total 1973	\$68,183	\$90,201	\$62,861	\$4,039
Total 1972	62,768	98,646	59,239	3,762
Increase (Decrease)	\$ 5,415	\$(8,445)	\$ 3,622	\$ 277

Operating Statement - 1973

Income

Town Appropriation		\$69,339	
Books Lost or Sold		358	
Donations		5,228	
Fines		1,090	
Photocopy		875	
State & Federal		498	
Trust Funds		4,039	\$81,427
Less: Transfer to Funds	Memorial Book Donation	125	
	Harris Bequeath	5,000	
	Newman & Wales Income	290	5,415
Net Income - available for Operations			\$76,012

<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Library Funds</u>	<u>Town Funds</u>	<u>Total</u>	
Salaries & Wages		\$47,599	\$47,599	
Telephone		672	672	
Postage		250	250	
Dues & Meetings	\$ 36	326	362	
Office Equipment		292	292	
Consultant	572	-	572	
Supplies	5	1,692	1,697	
Books	59	16,928	16,987	
Periodicals	(11)	649	638	
Records	3	89	92	
Equipment	862	842	1,704	
Financial Service	178	-	178	
Expense Total	\$1,704	\$69,339	\$71,043	71,043

Surplus

\$ 4,969

ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPARTMENT

BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 1973

ASSETSCurrent Assets:

Cash:	
Depreciation	57,987.83
Construction	2,877.36
Plant-Art. 10, ATM 1969	237.04
Operations	133,827.01
Special Deposits	11,807.00
Plant-Art. 23 ATM 1973	<u>145,498.62</u>
	352,234.86
Accounts Receivable	180,936.62
Working Funds	375.00
Inventory:	
Fuel Oil	52,869.99
Lubricants	1,760.33
Materials & Supplies	<u>53,611.07</u>
	<u>108,241.39</u>
Total Current Assets	<u>641,787.87</u>

Fixed Assets:

Land & Land Rights	841.20
Power Structures	115,366.15
Fuel Holders	9,336.48
Prime Movers	1,115,411.68
Generators	35,766.78
Accessory Elec. Equip.	93,570.81
Misc. Power Plant "	16,379.35
Land & Land Rights	17,706.60
Land Clearing	4,428.00
Trans.-Poles & Fixt.	42,584.49
Trans.-Overhead Cond.	26,691.33
Distrib.-Sta. Equip.	705,396.01
Poles & Fixtures	286,126.53
Overhead Conductors	340,147.22
Underground Conduits	56,182.10
Underground Conductors	90,239.24
Line Trans. & Regul.	332,682.25
Services	51,743.84
Meters	127,533.82
Meter Installations	1,291.48
Street Lighting	94,926.29
Outdoor Private Light.	4,382.13
General Structures	99,011.38
Equipment:	
Office	25,894.49
Transportation	154,049.96
Shop	11,079.09
Laboratory	4,477.84
Communication	<u>6,437.86</u>
Total Fixed Assets	<u>3,869,684.40</u>
Less Reserve for Deprec	<u>1,586,664.11</u>
	2,283,020.29

Total Assets 2,924,808.16LIABILITIES & SURPLUSLiabilities:

Bonds Payable	405,000.00
Customers' Deposits	11,807.00
Interest Accrued	<u>4,712.33</u>
	421,519.33

Surplus:

Loans Repayment	841,000.00
Construction Contrib.	11,698.92
Unappropriated Earned	
Surplus	<u>1,650,589.91</u>
	2,503,288.83

Total Liab. & Sur.

2,924,808.16

ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPARTMENT
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Expenses:

Generating:	
Operation, Supervision and Engineering	13,828.92
Fuel	175,649.49
Generation Expense:	
Labor	96,781.47
Lubricants	10,365.09
Maintenance:	
Supervision & Engineering	11,133.04
Structures - Power	754.40
Generator & Elec. Equip.	21,408.43
Misc. Other Expenses	<u>5,548.65</u>
	335,469.49
Other Power Supply:	
Purchased Power	474,653.68
Distribution:	
Overhead Trans. Lines	-0-
Overhead Lines Exp.	-0-
Underground Lines Exp.	-0-
Meter Expenses	11,249.75
Maintenance:	
Supervision & Engineering	11,025.00
Dist. Station Equip.	2,537.84
Overhead Lines	91,392.54
Underground Lines	4,650.42
Maint. of Lines Trans.	128.85
Misc. Expenses	9,897.05
Maint. Street Light. & S.S.	<u>4,923.35</u>
	135,804.80
Customers Accounts Receivable:	
Supervision	5,258.69
Meter Reading	8,158.20
Records & Collections	<u>34,129.37</u>
	47,546.26
Administrative & General:	
Salaries	29,445.88
Office Supplies & Exp.	2,777.85
Outside Services	5,577.22
Property Insurance:	
General	-0-
Power	-0-
Injuries & Damages:	
General	-0-
Power	-0-
Employees Pensions	-0-
Maint. General Plant	1,281.55
Transportation	9,446.81
Depreciation	112,179.00
Interest on Bonds	13,568.87
Misc. General Expense	4,076.36
Interest Refunds	<u>122.62</u>
	178,476.16
Total Expenses	1,171,950.39
Net Profit	<u>269,712.83</u>
	<u>1,441,663.22</u>

Sales:

Residential	715,473.60
Home Heating	61,915.08
Apartment Heating	46,251.52
Commercial	219,427.30
Industrial	192,152.69
Commercial Heating	1,502.46
Street Lighting	27,300.00
Municipal Buildings	43,013.67
Private Area Lighting	4,229.50
Sales for Resale	195,420.13
Misc. Service Rev.	270.00
Other Electric Rev.	<u>10,058.65</u>
	1,517,014.60
Less Disc. & Abate.	<u>83,598.36</u>
Net Sales	1,433,416.24

Other Income:

Interest:	
On Depreciation Fund	5,148.36
On Special Deposits	<u>3,098.62</u>
Total Other Income	8,246.98

1,441,663.22

WATER DEPARTMENT
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1973

ASSETS

LIABILITIES

Current Assets:

Cash:	
Operations 1973	(1,012.40)
Operations-Encumbered 1972	(10,000.00)
Plant Investment-1971	1,399.57
Construction-1971	12,742.05
Dow's Brook Reservoir	516.69
Water Main Construction	430.71
Construction 1973	<u>50,800.98</u>
	54,877.60

Accounts Receivable:

Rates & Services	34,708.21
Added to Taxes	<u>2,407.72</u>
	37,115.93

Materials & Supplies	<u>30,775.88</u>
Total Current Assets	122,769.41

Fixed Assets:

Engineering	49,493.77
Land	20,249.72
New Well System	129,004.72
Pumping Station	65,555.36
Reservoirs & Standpipes	436,627.27
Storage Basins	27,693.59
Dist. Reservoirs	135,979.62
Departmental Buildings	5,887.57
Store House	5,137.25
Pumps & Pumping Equip.	69,985.05
Purification System	8,177.55
Pipe Lines & Dist. Mains	1,354,308.87
Service Pipes	225,573.99
Meters	90,194.12
Consumers Meters Installed	1,750.40
Hydrants	40,362.63
Misc. Expenditures	1,912.10
Office Equipment	6,865.80
Shop Equipment	8,512.07
Stores Equipment	68.26
Trans. Equipment	43,517.20
Misc. Equipment	<u>15,194.35</u>
	2,742,051.26
Less Reserve for Deprec.	<u>907,370.08</u>
	1,834,681.18

Total Assets:	<u>1,957,450.59</u>
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Liabilities:

Bonds Payable	320,000.00
<u>Surplus:</u>	
Profit or Loss	(25,246.69)
Town Contribution	416,505.58
Campanelli Cont.	46,000.00
APW Mass. 71 Cont.	179,544.52
Property Account	981,308.27
Electric Contribution	<u>39,338.91</u>
	1,637,450.59

1,957,450.59

WATER DEPARTMENT
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

EXPENSES:

Operating:	
Maintenance:	
Supply Structures	81.07
Reservoirs	-0-
Pumping Station Supplies	348.25
Pumping Building	2,658.91
Pumping Equipment	6,888.13
Inspection of Meters	-0-
Mains	6,684.00
Standpipes	-0-
Services	10,649.59
Meters	5,016.32
Hydrants	7,053.20
Electricity Purchased	11,058.95
Purification Supplies	
and Expenses	6,850.41
General Labor	<u>13,011.46</u>
	70,300.29

Administrative:

General Office Salaries	28,047.44
General Office Supplies	
and Expenses	3,446.18
Insurance	-0-
Transportation	5,825.37
Maintenance:	
General Structures	315.56
Depreciation	-0-
Pensions	-0-
Interest on Bonds	9,290.08
Misc. General Expenses	<u>300.80</u>
	47,225.43

Total Expenses: 117,525.72

Profit or (Loss) 82,520.97
200,046.69

SALES:

Metered	191,998.60
Flat Rate	10,222.50
Sale of Supplies	3,388.96
Rent from Water Meters	1,920.00
Tap-in Charges	630.00
Application Charges	3,600.00
Misc. Non-Operating Income	<u>4,256.32</u>
Total Sales	216,016.38
Less Discounts	15,642.76
Abatements	<u>326.93</u>

200,046.69

EXPENDITURE STATEMENT - PUBLIC SCHOOLS

I.	Administration and Instruction Includes salaries of Superintendent, Administrators, Professional Staff, Secretaries, Instructional Materials.	\$2,165.414
II.	Other School Services Includes transportation, cafeteria salaries, nurses salaries, health services, athletics	\$ 335,605
III.	Operation and Maintenance of Plant Includes salaries for custodians, custodial supplies, utilities (fuel, electricity, telephone, gas, water, sewer), building maintenance of equipment.	\$ 245,923
IV.	Fixed Charges Includes fire and extended coverage, workman's compensation, rental fees (Boone Hall, Baptist Church, storage garage).	\$ 12,751
V.	Acquisition of Fixed Assets Includes purchase of equipment (classroom furniture, office equipment, audio-visual, etc.).	\$ 33,376
VI.	Programs with Other Districts Includes tuition of residents attending schools outside of Ipswich (Adult Education, Vocational, and Physically Handicapped).	\$ 4,201
VII.	Grand Total Expenditures, 1973	\$2,797,270
IX.	Encumbrances to be brought forward Budget period ends June 30, 1974	-0-
X.	School Budget returned to Revenue Budget period ends June 30, 1974	-0-
XI.	Expenditures from 1972 Funds in 1973	\$ 13,030

XI.	Athletic Receipts Account	
	Balance 1/1/73	\$ 2,748.26
	Receipts in 1973	10,843.78
	Expenditures	2,194.41
	Balance 12/31/73	11,397.63

XII.	Comparative Totals	
	1970 Expenditures	\$2,522,578.04
	1971 Expenditures	\$2,557,963.47
	1972 Expenditures	\$2,740,994.00

XIII. Revenues

XIII Revenues

	1970	1971	1972	1973
Chapter 70	412,601.98	569,879.96	568,870.21	670,665.71
Chapter 70- 1972				
Adjustment	-0-	-0-	-0-	16,598.61
Chapter 69 (Special Education)				
Ed. Deaf & Blind	-0-	-0-	-0-	168.00
Chapter 69 & 71 Special				
Education Programs	31,812.00	34,993.00	45,238.00	235,257.03
Tuition & Trans. State				
Wards-Chapter 76	6,182.61	6,800.87	7,285.06	17,471.22
School Transportation	73,046.92	80,351.61	78,390.00	122,233.69
School Transportation				
(Outside)				914.62
School Lunch	37,022.01	40,000.00	52,481.16	18,944.14
School Construction	89,337.06		52,686.74	162,597.51
Vocational Education				
Trans. Chapter 74	5,700.00	6,270.00	8,514.00	5,805.00
NDEA Title III PL 85-86	5,704.86	-0-	-0-	2,287.98
ESEA Title II	1,591.57	1,600.00	3,851.91	3,467.77
ESEA Title II Special Grant				700.00
ESEA Title I Low Income	9,241.00	9,200.00	13,002.00	11,632.00
ESEA Title VI B				4,493.00
Training Teachers-				
Handicapped Children				1,500.00
Revenue From Local Sources	11,111.53	12,500.00	8,717.93	12,126.44
Revenue From Other Districts	12,740.00	12,700.00	5,390.00	1,680.00

POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Armand R. Brouillette, Chief

The Police Department has continued its fight against the national trend of increased violent and non-violent crime. However, we like many other areas of suburban and rural jurisdictions in the country have not been able to contain crime at the level that it was in 1972.

As you may recall, last year I was able to report to you a decrease in the incidence of crime. This year I cannot make a similar report. As you will note in the statistical table below those crimes which some of us have been victims of and all of us have been exposed to, Ipswich shows an increase in crime against the person and property. For those of you who are mathematically inclined the percentage increase is very alarming. Percentage increases are used to tabulate F.B.I. crime reports. I find actual figures easier to cope with.

We have asked the Town to increase the force by three men. The reason being the loss of five E.E.A. personnel in this department. In 1973 only one man was added to the department. We have used this man to the best advantage of the Town, but unfortunately not enough coverage was had to offset the loss of the five that we lost. Therefore, I will ask and recommend to the Town that two men be added to the force to make up for this loss. With the increase in personnel a savings will be seen in overtime to cover shifts with a minimum of three officers without paying overtime, as well as the protection that will be afforded by an increase of patrolling officers as was demonstrated in 1972.

There are presently 18 fulltime officers to cover 33 square miles of area and render service to over 11,000 people.

Chief: Armand Brouillette

Sergeants:

Boley Radzinski •

Frank Geist

Joseph Carpenter •

Patrolmen:

Walter Klimaszewski

Edward Rauscher

Arthur Solomonides

Peter Foote

Richard Lombard

Edward Walsh

John Poirier

George Stevenson •

James Souter

Charles Surpitski

Richard Burns

Charles Schwartz

Erroll Tyler •

Charles Cooper

STATISTICAL TABLE	1972	1973
Murder	1	3
Manslaughter	1	2
Robbery	0	2
Assault	66	99
Larcenies	284	294
Auto Theft	33	44
Vandalism	439	454
Auto Accidents	827	527
Complaints Answered	8411	8097

CIVIL DEFENSE

CIVIL DEFENSE

John R. Harrigan



In 1973 a new dimension was added to the capability of Ipswich Civil Defense as the staff began to step up collection of information to help anticipate events that might lead to civil disasters.

Through this expanded concept the civil defense of Ipswich has greatly increased the capability to respond

to a wide variety of emergency situations, to the direct and immediate benefit of the citizens of Ipswich.

The capability of governments to function in peace time emergency of every kind can strengthen the communities and prepare them to cope with the ever-present threat of natural disasters.

1973 proved once again to be an active year...the Auxiliary Police augmenting the regular police when needed, and the Auxiliary Fire Department became better organized and was called to function as a unit to backup the regular fire department when needed.

The capability of the radio group was strengthened due to the "FM" move. Complete coverage of town radio network was completed at the E.O.C. Many hours of toil were spent by this group to make this possible!

The excellent rapport between the police and fire chief has made Civil Defense operation a smooth working backup team which they can rely on.

I would like to publicly thank all those who participated in Civil Defense work in Ipswich for a job well done.

AUXILIARY POLICE



Auxiliary Police who covered for the regular police during the Policemen's Ball Friday, November 30, included, left to right, Patrolman John Clogston, Captain Rudolph Provost, Patrolman Mike Singer and Sgt. Robie Wile. (Ipswich Chronicle)

AUXILIARY POLICE

Rudolph Provost, Captain

The following is a summarized report of the activities for the year 1973:

- Monthly Meetings on the first Wednesday of each month.
- Spring Patrol.
Friday nights from April 6th to May 25th.
2 men each night from 7:00 P.M. to Midnight.
- Summer Patrol.
From June 1st to September 1st.
2 Men 3 Nights a week Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. 7:00 P.M. to Midnight.
- Fall Patrol.
Friday nights from September 7th to November 23rd.
2 Men 7:00 P.M. to Midnight.
- Traffic Patrol for the Bike-A-Thon.
Sunday, April 29, 1973.

- Traffic Patrol for Ipswich Days and Marathon.
August 1, 1973 to August 5, 1973.
- Memorial Day Parade.
17 Men marched - 3 traffic duty.
- Halloween Night Patrol.
Coverage of all schools.
- Substituted for regular police on November 30, 1973 during the Policemen's Ball. 20 Men.
- Call Outs.
April 28, 1973.
Called out to search for 3 lost boys at Eagle Hill.
December 5, 1973.
Called out during the power failure to cover the banks.
- Liaison Officer Edward Raucher resigned due to other commitments.
Officer Jack Poirier is named new Liaison Officer by Chief Armand Brouillette.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Theodore F. Mozdziej, Chief

The Fire Department activities have increased this year. This is relative to the town's growth in buildings and population. The new 100' Aerial Ladder purchased from American La France Co. is in service. It is a welcomed and needed addition to our fire equipment. The old floor which needed repairs has been replaced with a new one.

The following is a brief summary of activities:

Bell Alarms	98
Still Alarms	254
Complaints investigated	116
Oil Burner Inspections carried out	
Oil Permits Issued	
Oil Tank Inspections	
Blasting Permits Issued	
Hospital and Nursing Home Inspections	
Fire Alarm Extension	6 new boxes
Hose used	10,950 feet
Booster Tank Water used	43,270 gals.

Fire Loss Report:

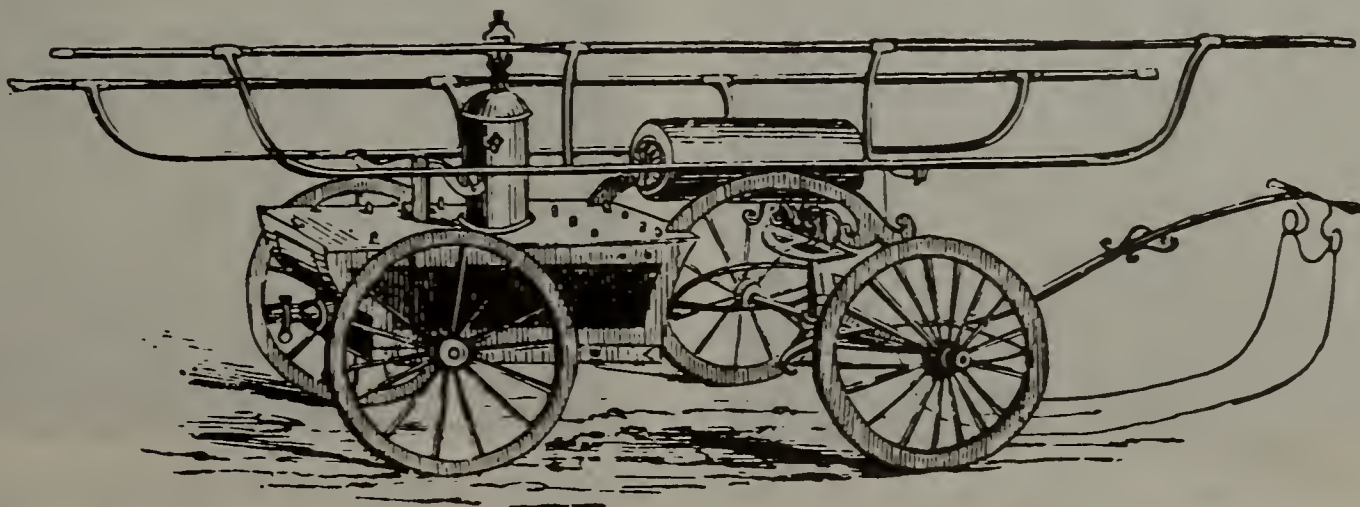
Value of Buildings Threatened	
by Fire is	\$1,519,890
Insurance Carried	\$2,562,200
Estimated Loss	\$69,079
Insurance Paid	\$67,578.27

In conclusion, I would like to briefly state some matters that need serious attention. The present station cannot adequately house our present needs. There are four pieces of apparatus and the rescue boat that must be kept outdoors for lack of space. Construction of a new sub-station in the outer Linebrook area is needed due to the rapid growth in the past few years. A survey

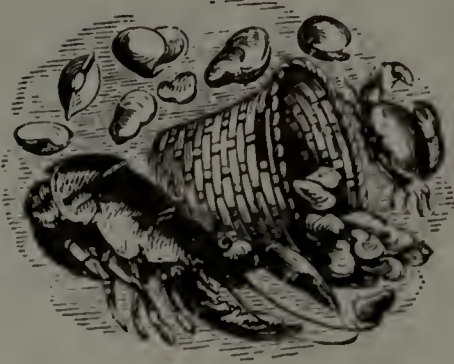


*The Town received the new 100' Aerial Ladder Truck.
(Ipswich Chronicle)*

of our present fire alarm system shows nearly 50% of the present street boxes are 50-70 years old and need updating or replacement with a modern type fire alarm system.



SHELLFISH - HARBOR DEPARTMENT



SHELLFISH CONSTABLE

Arthur Moon

The year 1973 was a very good year for commercial diggers. This was caused by the red tide which caused the closing of clam areas. Some of the areas were closed for almost a year. At the present time only soft shell clams and mussels can be harvested.

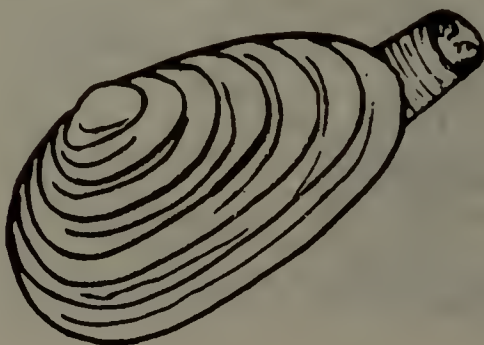
The following permits were issued:

Commercial	202 at \$20.00
Non-Commercial: Resident Yearly	711 at 2.50
Non-Commercial: Non-Resident Daily	307 at 2.50
Non-Commercial: Non-Resident Yearly	197 at 15.00

One or two days a week I took samples of clams to the Lawrence Lab to test for red tide so we could get the flats opened. I worked with Dr. Moore analyzing water and shellfish for feed and small clams in the water. There was a program on transplanting small clams and putting nets out for catching seed clams.

We had volunteer skin divers working off shore to see what shellfish we had in deep water. The work was from shore to 2½ miles out in 110 feet of water. We found a large amount of different types of shellfish. I would like to thank the skin divers for their help.

The Shellfish Advisory Board was very active in all areas.



HARBORMASTER

Pete S. Georgakopoulos

As my appointment as Harbormaster for the Town of Ipswich began April 23, 1973, we had a late start.

Three assistant harbormasters were recommended and approved. Fred Janvrin was assigned to the Eagle Hill area, Yacht Club and Rowley River. Al Hurd was assigned to the Wharf area, Ipswich River, Castle Neck River and Hood's Pond. Arthur Kapsalis was assigned to Plum Island, Crane's Beach and the Pavillion Area. All three are non-paying volunteers and all of us use our own boats and motors, etc.

The Ipswich River and Eagle Hill Areas were marked with trees and plastic jugs used as markers. These markers were as accurate as they could have been, but the treacherous shifting sand has created problems. This made a safety hazard even to a boat with very little draft.

With the cooperation of the Electric Light Department and Department of Public Works, the ramp and floats were put in the water, and again hauled out for the season.

A new 8' x 30' heavy duty float arrived late in the season. Two 3' x 20' floats were jury rigged at the state built ramp to embark and disembark passengers safely.

This year saw us through with no accidents. Several search and rescues were made for missing people and one included the Coast Guard helicopter, state and local police, fire department, civil defense, and many more volunteers.

Shark warnings were issued for our area and one was harpooned inside the Eagle Hill River, and several sighted after.

The number of boats in our area has made the mooring problem our main issue. Only ten moorings were issued...many were outright refused...and many boats were notified to move out of the channel.

Other issues we will face will be the River dredging, Marinas, and the Upper River.

At the present time I would like to build up my inventory with the following emergency items: Walki-Talkie, Signal Flares, Life Rings and Jackets and Hand Lanterns.

SHELLFISH ADVISORY COMMISSION

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Charles Terrell, Chairman

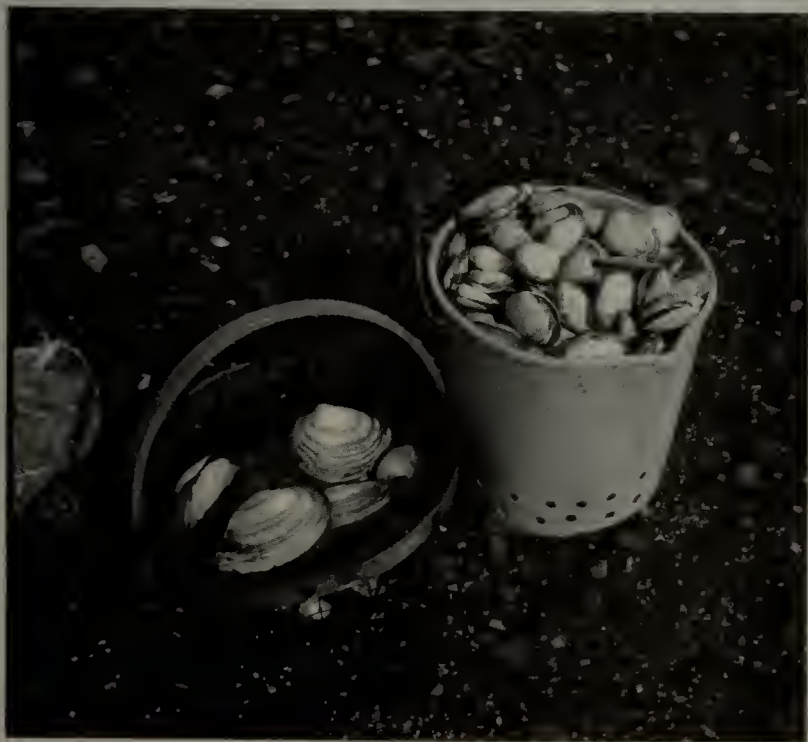
The shellfish industry of Ipswich began the agonizing task of rebuilding after the disastrous red tide of 1972. The first clam flats reopened just before Christmas, 1972 and by the following June most of the remainder had reopened. The intervening six months went slowly as only minor flats reopened at first, but as summer approached major flats as the Spit, Beach Reef and Middle Ground became safe to utilize. Due to an anticipated heavy demand in the summer the Shellfish Commission opened the above areas for only three days a week to spread the supply over the summer. This policy proved successful, and was instituted after a heavy, three day pounding on Ritchie's Ground at its mid-June opening. As a result of the red tide episode local legislators were able to get several money bills through the legislature to investigate the causes and possible ways to minimize any new occurrence. Money was approved for a monitoring program of the coast by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health to detect future outbreaks, as well as money to perform pure and applied, scientific research by the Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries and Massachusetts Science and Technology Foundation. By the end of 1972 all Ipswich shellfish had been cleared of paralytic shellfish poison, except sea clams, which still had a red tide count slightly above the permissible safe level.

While many of the clam flats remained closed in the first part of 1972, the commission's shellfish improvement program lay in abeyance. The program was reactivated in the summer with the approval of a

shellfish survey of the previously unexplored waters in Ipswich Bay. With a research boat supplied by the Division of Marine Fisheries, and six scuba divers, half of whom were local residents, underwater dives were performed a half mile to two miles off Plum Island and Crane's Beach in 30 to 110 feet of water. The divers located commercial quantities of arctic (black or mahogany) quahogs and some ocean (deep sea) scallops. The Division of Marine Fisheries is presently examining how the arctic quahogs might be utilized on a commercial basis.

Toward the end of the year Shellfish Constable, Arthur Moon, spread a polyester, knitted fabric of quarter inch mesh over part of the Eagle Hill River flats in an attempt to catch and hold soft shell clam larvae during the autumn seeding. The fabric caught seed, which has remained in the flat to date, even though the fabric was removed prior to winter storms. It is hoped that this technique can be expanded in the future to help revive some of the unproductive clam flats of the town. A complete reseeding program is expected to begin in the spring by transplanting excess soft shell clams from productive areas to unproductive areas. This program will help increase the yield of clams in the town because many flats can grow clams even though they will not reproduce well in these same areas.

In another program Dr. Johnes K. Moore, a marine biologist of Salem State College and a consultant to the commission, has been investigating and analyzing the clam flats for the past year to determine soft shell clam populations as well as temperature and salinity of local waters. A report on his findings will be presented to the commission this spring and will form the basis for a possible, federally funded shellfish project in Ipswich.



Both buckets contain famous Ipswich soft shell clams. The smaller clams are used for steamers, while the larger clams are used in chowders or baked, stuffed clams. The larger clams at 5 to 6 inches long are about 8 to 10 years old and are locally known as "honks".



Local diver, Paul McLaughlin, prepares with other divers for a deep water dive to 110 feet off Plum Island as part of the shellfish survey a mile to two miles off shore. Commercial quantities of arctic quahogs were located within Ipswich's waters.

BOARD OF HEALTH



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Edwin N. Bronk, Agent

There were 169 plumbing permits and 102 gas permits issued in 1973.

Clinics held throughout the year:

Well Child Clinic:

This well child clinic is held the first Monday of each month at the Winthrop school between the hours of 3:00 and 4:00 P.M. This clinic is operated for pre school children who are examined for any medical or physical defects, and administering of immunization for measles, rubella, D.P.T., Polio, etc., for which no fee is charged.

Rabies Clinic:

The rabies clinic was conducted in May, and a total of 189 dogs and cats were immunized and a total of \$378.00 was turned into the Town Treasury.

A total of 85 percolation and ground water tests were conducted during the period of April 20 and June 18, 1973, of this total, 64 sites were approved for construction of installation of individual septic systems, and 21 were disapproved as not meeting the standards of Article XI of the State Sanitary Code.

105 Burial permits were issued by the Board of Health, and permits were issued for: Oleo, milk, restaurants, collection of fat and bones, individual septic systems, ice cream manufacturing, etc.

VETERAN'S SERVICES

VETERANS' SERVICES

Frank Story, Director

Massachusetts Veterans' Benefits

The primary function of the Veterans' Benefits program is to relieve hardship. It deals with disability, unemployment, the unemployable, illness, strikes and, even, disaster. It is, therefore, difficult to estimate with great accuracy the expenditure under this program. The number of veterans and their dependents receiving assistance in the Town of Ipswich under Chapter 115 of the General Laws, as amended, is being reported by the number of cases processed monthly, as follows: January - 63, February - 70, March - 72, April - 73, May - 68, June - 66, July - 68, August - 66, September - 64, October - 65, November - 69, December - 69. A total of 813 cases were processed this year. There were 29 applications for the Massachusetts Vietnam Bonus. Exclusive of the bonus, 50% of the cost of the Benefit program is reimbursed by the State. Expenditures are listed in the financial statement of the Town Report.

Veterans' Services - Federal

It is the prime purpose of this department to secure all Federal funds for which veterans and their

dependents have entitlement. Services rendered to veterans and their dependents are as follows: 20 Applications for Replacement of Separation Documents, 32 Education Applications, 51 Power of Attorney forms, 18 Applications for Hospital Treatment, 21 Applications for Real Estate Abatement, 8 Treasury Checks returned, 25 Applications for Pensions and Compensations, 38 Statements in Support of Claim, 9 Statements of Income and Net Worth, 21 Applications for Outpatient Treatment, 56 Annual Questionnaire cards, 20 Change of Address forms, 18 Certificates of Eligibility, 6 claims for Insurance or Indemnity, 8 Requests and Consent to Release Information, 2 Applications for Vocational Rehabilitation, 11 Requests for Change of School or Program, 18 Requests for School Attendance, 11 Headstone Applications, 6 Flag Applications, 14 Requests for Copy of War Records and 8 Applications for Insurance Claims.

Compensations and Pensions obtained through this office for Ipswich veterans and their dependents totaled \$291,516.00 for the year. Hospitalization in VA facilities saved the Town of Ipswich \$41,720.00. Educational benefits being received by veterans and their dependents total \$87,130.00. The above categories represent a total saving for the Town of Ipswich in the amount of \$420,366.00. For Federal money received, there is no State or Town participation.

ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT

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Alfred L. Tobiasz, Manager

Construction of the new Electric Light Department building on High Street was started in December and work is proceeding on schedule.

The people of Ipswich have responded to the need to curtail power usage. Our records show a decrease of 3% of kilowatt demand for November and 9.5% for December of 1973, as compared to power used in 1972.

MAJOR CONSTRUCTION PROPOSED

1. Complete 25 KV spacer cable installation on High Street from substation No. 4 to Mitchell Road.
2. Install spacer cable on Broadway Avenue and Farley Avenue.
3. Install new 3 phase cable from Pillow Lace Lane along Linebrook Road to the Topsfield town line.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETED

1. Spacer cable has been installed on Linebrook Road from Plains Road to Newbury Road and on High Street from substation No. 4 to the Rowley line.
2. Capacitors were installed on North Ridge Road and Little Neck Road.
3. 24 streetlighting fixtures, 30 overhead services and 21 underground services, 9 poles, 25,287 feet overhead wire and 9,238 feet of underground cables and 535 KVA of transformers were added to the system.

MAINTENANCE

43 overhead and 10 underground services, 88 poles and 57 streetlight fixtures were replaced.

STATISTICS

Year	Aver. KWH used by Residential customers	KW peak Demand	Meters in Service
1953	2381	3125	3108
1958	2373	4870	3465
1963	3114	6590	3841
1968	4071	9850	4119
1973	6284	12250	4654

GENERATION

Maintenance was carried out by station personnel and all units are in good operating condition. The annual peak KW demand was 12250 KW on January 8, 1973 which represents an increase of 1.6% over last year.

POWER GENERATED AND PURCHASED

	1971	1972	1973
Generated	25,212,720	28,047,280	25,452,920
Purchased	25,246,768	28,003,200	33,233,684
Total KWH	50,459,488	56,050,480	58,686,604

This represents an increase of 4.7% over last year.

*During a black out in the fall of 1973, Electric Employees inspect the dials for a reason 'why?'.
(Ipswich Chronicle)*



RECREATION DEPARTMENT



for all age groups both male and female. For the most part, those programs involving children are municipally supported while most others are self-supporting by the participants. In either case the Rec. Dept. sponsors and/or lends a helping hand in the planning and execution of four softball leagues, two Pony baseball teams, a ten week summer swim instruction program, an eight week summer playground program, a winter long indoor basketball and volleyball program, a program for special children on a year round basis (weekly) and a variety of other activities.

Your Rec. Dept. plays key roles in the continuing successes and expansion of the Golden Age Club and Olde Ipswich Week activities. Tennis instruction boomed this past year and is expected to expand again in 1974. Many tourneys are being planned. Softball activity for youngsters and oldsters is also on the increase. Outdoor ice skating at Linebrook playground and Baker's Pond (Daniel Boone Park) is expected to show a decline this winter as these activities shift to the more dependable and safe indoor rinks that are springing up everywhere.

RECREATION - PARKS DEPARTMENT

James H. Daly, Director

Progress based on common sense and safety continues to be the watchword in these twin departments. Facilities and equipment have been expanded in the past 15 months. In conjunction, attendance and participation in long standing and new programs has increased sharply. Gratefully acknowledged is the use of ready-made facilities at the Sacred Heart Juniorate (Don Bosco), Notre Dame and LaSalette. These three Orders have made available a combination of three softball fields, one baseball field, four tennis courts and two basketball courts at no cost to the town and all of which have and will continue to be used extensively.

Special and sincere thanks are hereby directed to the officials at Don Bosco who allowed the town the use of their king-sized outdoor swim pool that proved to be a boon to the REC swim instruction classes for youngsters; to the officers and members of the Ipswich Fish & Game Club for the continuing use of the Skeet Field as a playground for neighborhood youngsters; to the V.F.W. local Post 1093 and its Auxiliary for their perennial financial support and the use of their hall and grounds; to the Rust brothers (new owners of Casali's Restaurant) and former owner Al Casali for their continuing cooperation in allowing outer Linebrook children the use of their property where major improvements have been made to the ball field, rest rooms will have been added and outdoor bubblers will be available and last but not least to all town departments who have cooperated fully in helping this department to accomplish many projects by the loan of equipment and operators.

For the benefit of newcomers it should be repeated here that your REC dept. offers a year round program

In the immediate future it is expected that the current energy crisis coupled with existing public concern with ecology and conservation will tend to encourage more and more individuals and families to become more conscious of and participate more actively in all phases of recreation. Especially the out of doors type. To this end your REC dept. is currently searching for new areas, new facilities, new programs and fresh - new ideas which will be announced through the news media as they develop.

The Lighthouse at the beach, last of a complex of buildings granted to the town by the Federal Government many years ago was destroyed by fire with the obvious assistance of vandals this past year. Its "passing" is a blessing in disguise. One could write a 'best seller' volume on the shenanigans associated with this unpretentious six room structure but suffice it to say that the town and department is now out of the real estate, motel and party business and the associated headaches. With all due respect to the few families who used the cottage for the purposes intended we say thank you for your cooperation. Generally speaking, however, the cottage was both misused and abused and was a constant target for seagulls and vandals. Amen!

For the benefit of Ipswich families, organizations and individuals and considering the complete absence of shade at the beach it is hereby recommended that the cottage be replaced by a pavillion type shelter at the same location, constructed of non-combustible materials of adequate size to accommodate family and group picnics and clambakes.



Memorial Building

This building ideally located in the center of town continues to serve several organizations for meetings and socials. It is here that the Recreation - Parks office is located as well as the Youth Commission office. The American Legion and its Auxiliary are permanent residents. Other organizations that use the facility extensively include the Girl Scouts, Sea Scouts & Mariners, the Youth Hockey Association, Little League, the AMVETS & Auxiliary and many others. Several recreation programs including the Special Childrens' program, ballroom dance instruction for adults etc. take place here. The hall is also used by the Rec. dept. when certain outdoor programs are forced indoors by inclement weather.

The little used top hall, however, could easily and economically be converted into a physical fitness gym with the built in addition of showers, sauna and basic gym equipment. The plan is under study within the Rec. dept. and may be proposed at some future date.



Thanks to Don Bosco, the Town had the use of a swimming pool for their summer swimming instructions. (Ipswich Chronicle)

PUBLIC LIBRARY



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Eleanor M. Crowley, Librarian

Library material amounting to 126,769 items was circulated among 6,620 registered borrowers of the Public Library. In looking at these figures it is important to bear in mind that they represent units that leave the library, and do not reflect the high level of use of reference materials that do not circulate. Well over 50% of the population is registered with the library. Books added to the collection in 1973 total 3,047.

Our local resources continue to be strengthened by participation in the Eastern Regional Library System. Daily truck delivery service brings to Ipswich books, films and other material from member libraries of the Region, including Boston Public Library.

A feature film series was begun this year; a diversity of programs for all interests continues, ranging from an

evening with Boston Patriots player Tom Beer to a woodwind quartet, sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Book "stations" have been established at the Youth Center and at Whittier Manor.

School use of public library facilities is at a high level, with an average of 500 young people visiting during the school day in an average month. The shortage of space increases daily, and is dramatized as students share work space with the book collection.

Ipswich shared in the award of a Federal Grant under LSCA Title I, FY 1972-73. The sum of \$500.00 was used to purchase audiovisual equipment for use in the local Oral History project, "Ipswich Speaks".

Legal steps allowing transfer of the Library to the town are nearing completion, and the matter of acceptance will be ready for consideration by the town at the Annual Town Meeting.

Service to the community is our goal; let us supply you with the best and the latest in informational, recreational and educational material.



HOUSING AUTHORITY

HOUSING AUTHORITY

Jane Bokron, Executive Director

There are currently four (4) housing projects administered by The Ipswich Housing Authority . . . 200-1 - 667-C - 667-3 - 707.

NEW PROJECTS APPROVED BY THE STATE: The Department of Community Affairs of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has approved the construction of 24 additional Low Income Family Units (Project 705) at Southern Heights and 80 additional Low Income Elderly Units (Project 667-4) at Southern Manor. These units have been scheduled to be completed within two years.

200-1 PROJECT - LOW INCOME FAMILY: These twenty-four (24) Low Income Family Units were built in 1950. The seven (7) buildings consist of 14 (2 bedroom units,) 8 (3 bedroom units and 2 (4 bedroom units). There are currently 53 children living on this area. Each unit has its own gas furnace, hot water heater and gas stove. The average shelter rent is \$63.00 per month. During 1973 the following improvements were made in this project: new roofs and gutters on all buildings, new kitchen sinks and counter tops, new tile bathroom floors, new kitchen inlaid floor coverings, new hot water heaters, individual gas shutoffs, individual outside faucets, combination doors, weather stripping on all outside doors, many apartments were completely painted, new mail boxes were installed and last but not least the Ipswich Housing Authority sewer tie-in to the Town of Ipswich municipal sewer system was started in August 1973 and will be completed in the spring of 1974.

ELDERLY PROJECTS . . . 667-C and 667-3: The Ipswich Housing Authority has a total of 120 elderly units in these two projects. Southern Manor has 20 elderly units heated by gas. Caroline Avenue has 100 elderly units heated by electricity. The shelter rent for these projects is \$62.00 per month. The Authority pays for all utilities. Average age is 75 years young. During 1973 the following improvements were made at Southern Manor: Each unit had a new gas stove and a white Colonial combination door installed. Late in 1973 a small brick Maintenance Building and Garage was constructed at Southern Manor for the use of all projects. A Colonial white wooden electrical sign was installed at Southern Manor. At Caroline Avenue, door chimes with a peep hole were installed in the first 42 units. New park benches were conveniently placed in both elderly projects.

707 PROJECT - RENT SUBSIDY PROGRAM: This is a program which provides subsidy for low income families, including elderly people. It allows the Authority to rent private apartments and to pay a rent supplement to make up the difference in the agreed total monthly rent for the apartment. In 1973 the Authority paid \$50,056 in rent subsidies to private landlords for 55 units.

TENANT ORGANIZATION: In 1971 The Authority set up a Tenant Organization. Tenant Representatives attend all monthly meetings to voice their suggestions and complaints from their own respective projects.

OFFICE HELP: Late in 1973 The Authority hired a full time office girl to assist the Executive Director.

*L to R
Alexander Bernhard
Glenfred Wanzer
Jane Bokron
Arthur Weagle
Stanley Eustace
John Thatcher, Jr.
(House of Hinlin)*



ESSEX COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

THE ESSEX COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

Robert W. Spencer, Superintendent

Because of abnormal rainfall during the previous year, 1973 promised to be an exceptionally heavy mosquito producer and lived up to expectations in so far as the spring brood of fresh water mosquitoes was concerned. However, mother nature interceded and a combination of low running tides and sparse rainfall during the summer prevented the usual heavy production of salt marsh mosquitoes until late August and early September.

The Project once again conducted a weekly fogging program in Ipswich during the mosquito season. The serious outbreak of mosquito-borne Eastern Encephalitis in southern New Hampshire during late August caused us to alter our fogging schedule somewhat and to concentrate our efforts from August 21 through September 7 in the Essex County towns closest to the state line to prevent as best we could the southward progress of the disease. Starting September 10, the State Health Department aerial-sprayed the entire Essex County area successfully exterminating the late broods of salt marsh and fresh water mosquitoes.

I believe it worthy to note here that because of the increased concern of some local residents over the use of Malathion for mosquito fogging by this Project and the allegations that we were indeed causing considerable damage to fish and wildlife, domestic animals, and even humans; we conducted very comprehensive inspections of both the salt marsh and upland areas in the district prior to, during, and after the massive aerial-spray. As Malathion was employed at a dosage several times greater than used for mosquito fogging, we were

delighted to find and are pleased to report no visible damage whatsoever to any creatures other than those in the insect world. Even the loss to bee keepers which was expected to be considerable, amounted to but a small percentage of the total population of the colonies.

The Essex County Project continues to emphasize strongly the permanent aspects of a year-round program, namely the larviciding, drainage and water management directed toward the reduction of the breeding potential by elimination of the breeding source. In keeping with this policy the following was accomplished in Ipswich during 1973:

Prehatch or winter ice dusting — 77 acres.

Application of larvicide to open water — 45 acres.

Brushing out along brooks and streams — 2,400 feet.

Upland ditching and dredging with power equipment — 945 feet off Town Farm Road and 2,150 feet of Kimball Brook beginning at Estes Street and continuing to Bush Hill Road.

Fogging to control adult mosquitoes on June 15, 29; July 13, 27; August 10, 24.

We thank the residents for their continued interest in the mosquito control program. What 1974 with the energy crisis will bring is difficult to predict. At this point it is safe to assume that we will be forced to cut back in the use of power equipment and rely more on manual labor in several phases of our operations.



"COOPERATIVE EFFORTS"

The Public Works Department's Backhoe and the Essex County Mosquito Control's Backhoe work jointly in dredging a ditch.

(Ipswich Chronicle)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS



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Kevin D. McElhinney, Director

The Public Works Department coordinates the activities of the Highway, Forestry, Water, Sewer, Town Hall Building Maintenance, and Equipment Maintenance Divisions to assure the most effective operations. Department personnel are interchanged to assist with larger projects as required.

Highway Division Norman Stone, Foreman

Surface treatment consisting of oil, stone and sand mixtures were applied to the following streets:

Bayview Road	Mile Lane
Beechwood Road	Newbury Road
Boxford Road	North Ridge Road
Bunker Hill Road	Plains Road
Candlewood Road	Randall Road
Charlotte Road	Sagamore Road
Fellow's Road	Stage Hill Road
Leslie Road	Town Farm Road
Masconomet Road	Upper River Road

New asphaltic-wearing surfaces were applied on the following streets:

Abell Avenue	Linebrook Road
Bush Hill Road	Oakhurst Avenue
High Street	Topsfield Road
Juniper Street	

In addition, Division personnel worked on snow and ice operations, drainage maintenance, and assisted on sewerage construction.

Building Maintenance

Capital Improvements in the Town Hall were restricted to the installation of a new ceiling in the front hall. Five thousand dollars is appropriated for painting the exterior of the building and we hope to have this accomplished by the spring of 1974.

Equipment Maintenance John McParland, Mechanic

All Town vehicles are serviced and repaired at the Town Garage. Records are kept to show maintenance costs and gas and oil usage on each individual vehicle; statistical records of these expenses are maintained at the Public Works Administration office.

Forestry Division Armand Michaud, Tree Warden

This division is charged with all Town tree work. Duties also include line clearing for the Electric Department and the Mosquito Control program.

Water Division Henry Chouinard, Foreman

Water quality, rather than quantity, was once again the main concern of the division. Water quality complaints were logged and, due to the analysis of this log, the main cause of red water complaints was determined to originate at the Winthrop Wells. This supply is used only when necessary and an appreciable dropping of red water complaints has been the result. Funds will be requested so that an engineering study can be performed to determine a method of controlling this problem at the source.

A brief summation of the division's functions is as follows:

	1971	1972	1973
New meters installed	101	102	43
Meters replaced	97	131	244
Services turned on	165	167	164
Services turned off	148	163	145
New services	56	55	63
Services discontinued	1	1	6
Hydrants installed	12	3	10
Hydrants removed	0	0	0
New water mains installed	16,926'	0	3,460'
Total length of mains			386,707'
Water Services:			
Metered services			3,031
Unmetered sales			142
Summer services			173
Total			3,346
Water usage (gallons)	417,307,900	479,426,150	465,267,600
Highest Day 6/20/73			3,048,100

Public Works Snow Plowing
Crew remove snow from the
center of Town.
(Chronicle)



Sewer Division Chester Wile, Treatment Plant Operator

Work has begun on the sewer extension from South Main Street to the veterans' project on County Road and should be completed in the spring of 1974. We are still waiting for funding for the Secondary Sewage Treatment Plant and if approved, work should begin during the spring.

Division personnel performed normal routine maintenance and inspected all connections to the Town's sewer system. Records were kept, and divisional statistics are as follows:

	1971	1972	1973
Sewage treated/daily average	476,846 gls.	628,184 gls.	542,150 gls.
Total Sewage Treated	176,249,000 gls.	229,287,000 gls.	197,885,000 gls.
New Connections	81	99	62
Total Connections			984
Chlorine used	13.8 tons	16.2 tons	16.125 tons



BUILDING INSPECTOR



BUILDING INSPECTOR

Ralph Hebert

Due to the national standardization of the building code, the building inspector was required to attend several seminars conducted by State and Federal Agencies. In depth courses were mandatory and covered such subjects as Wetland Protective Act; Subdivision Control; Building for Energy Conservation, in addition to the study and review of the National Building Code which will become effective January 1, 1975.

	1973	1972
Construction Valuations	\$2,126,611.00	\$1,925,925.00
Fees Collected	3,175.50	2,839.00
Permits Issued:		
New Construction	59	49
Miscellaneous:		
Additions, remodeling, signs, pools and siding	127	67

CEMETERY DEPARTMENT



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Walter H. Hulbert, Jr., Supt.

The death rate this year resulted in 96 interments, compared to 109 in 1972 and 117 in 1971.

Two eight grave lots, five four grave lots, four two grave lots and four single graves were sold with perpetual care. One ten grave lot, two eight grave lots, one seven grave lot, one six grave lot, two 4 grave lots, one three grave lot and one two grave lot, were converted from annual care to perpetual care. Awarded by the American Legion for Veterans and their Families were six four grave lots, four two grave lots and one single grave with no revenue for care of these lots.

Sixty two monument foundations were dug and laid. Twelve government markers were set for veterans. Sixteen sets of granite corner bounds for lots sold and awarded were set. Ninety monuments and one cript were damaged by vandals. The cost of repair and re-setting was \$887.74. The flag pole in the veterans cemetery was vandalized, cost of repair \$74.24.

On our equipment replacement program, we purchased a 14 H.P. tractor with 36" rotary mower. Seven 20" push type rotary mowers were replaced.

During the winter months the Cemetery four wheel drive kept the avenue's plowed. It also assisted the Public Works where needed in snow plowing.

New lots in Veterans cemetery were laid out by Leon Turner and Walter Hulbert Jr. All surveying done by Mr. Turner, chairman of the Commissioners.

The following is a list of receipts for services rendered by the Department for 1973:

Openings for interments	\$5,210.00
Sectional liners	480.00
Chapel Tent Rental	630.00
New Lots & Graves	1,820.00
Foundations & Bounds	986.10
Annual care reported as collected	60.00
Perpet. Care and Flower Fund income not known at time of report	
Total	\$9,186.10
New Perpetual Care Deposits	\$5,200.00
New Perpetual Flower Fund Deposits	400.00
Total	\$5,600.00

Summer employees in the Cemetery Department help cut grass and trim.

(Chronicle)



CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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Frederic Winthrop, Jr., Chairman

Your Conservation Commission met bimonthly in 1973 in open sessions that were generally well attended and that covered a diverse number of subjects that ranged from recycling to fish ladders, from open space economics to dune restoration, from Bicentennial Planning to Polish Dancing, from P.C.D. to 30B.

A high point in the year included the acquisition of another 12 acres of land adjoining the 70 acres purchased in '72. This is one more step in the Commission's objective to establish a greenbelt and to protect the water supply in Dow and Bull Reservoirs by curbing development in the watershed. Negotiations with neighboring landowners are ongoing.

Thanks to the help of the Soil Conservation Service, the Forestry Dept., the High School, and numerous others, the Conservation Commission was able to carry out the planting of some 9,000 beach grass seedlings.

The Second Annual Conservation Commission Polish Dance held at the "K Club" was again a smashing success. Enough money was raised to finish landscaping and seeding the Goodhue Canoe Landing on Peatfield Street.

Responsibility for the State's "Dredge and Fill" laws, was transferred to the Conservation Commission in October of 1972. Holding hearings, issuing permits, and orders of condition has become a major job.

1973 was not without its disappointments. First and foremost, our water supply remains critical. Town

action, we regret, appears to have been postponed in the expectation that the State will step in, even though our water consultants tell us that construction of state reservoir 30B will be too late. Last spring efforts to purchase a conservation restriction, which would have guaranteed that the Sturgis Farm remain forever open, fell just short of the 2/3 vote necessary for passage. Similarly, a clear, but insufficient, majority voted in vain to amend the zoning bylaws to include a section which would protect the town's wetlands.

These last two dark clouds may well have silver linings. First, the relatively new concept of the conservation restriction received some welcome recognition in town as an equitable and inexpensive method to keep land open, and as a result, to keep down the financial burden of providing housing developments with town services.

Second, due to the failure of last year's wetland bill, the Conservation Commission, in conjunction with the Planning Board, contracted with the Photogrammetric Division of the Raytheon Co. to delineate the Town's wetlands through aerial photography. The results are impressive and give rise to hopes that '74 will see the adoption of wetland zoning in Ipswich.

For the moment, Ipswich remains uniquely endowed in natural resources. Bay, beach, saltmarsh, forest, and river all attest to this fact. She sits, however, perilously close to a population explosion, to a rush of suburbanization which could wipe out this precious legacy. A policy of careful planning and sensible land use is essential. We look forward to any help you can give us in achieving this goal.

DOG OFFICER

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Irene Finnegan

Below is the report from the beginning of my term, August 20, 1973.

During this period there were:

- 6 Dogs Injured and Destroyed
- 31 Dogs Injured by Motorist
- 29 Dogs Killed by Motorist
- 0 Unclaimed strays put to Death
- 13 Strays were found new owners
- 31 Strays were returned to Owners
- 263 Dog Complaints Checked Out

From March 31, 1973 to January 10, 1974 the Town Clerk's Office had issued 835 dog licenses. Approximately 550 dogs are unlicensed in Ipswich.

DOG OFFICER IRENE FINNEGAN

Before Irene found good homes for these pups, they had a short stay at the new dog pound on Town Farm Road.

(Ipswich Chronicle)



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Left to Right

Mr. Walter J. Pojasek
Miss Ginger MacKay-Smith
Mrs. M. L. Scudder
Mrs. Patricia Manning
Mr. Paul K. Gahm, Chairman
Mr. Edwin H. Damon, Jr.
Mr. James F. Collins
Mr. Peter R. Greer

Term Expires

1976
Student Member
1975
1974
1975
1974
1975
1976



(House of Hinlin)

ENROLLMENT STATISTICS

ENROLLMENT CHART BY GRADES 1968 - 1973

GRADE	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
K	206	216	187	164	171	165
Nongraded Primary			204	276		
1	200	225	159	97	183	197
2	190	229	122	141	220	198
3	193	188	235	185	250	208
4	211	195	203	239	214	242
5	204	214	206	210	224	219
6	198	218	225	213	203	232
7	219	226	216	228	213	202
8	180	228	217	215	224	214
9	185	185	220	213	200	177
10	189	195	180	218	213	171
11	198	183	197	177	210	174
12	133	185	174	198	177	180
P.G.	2	1	2	1	1	1
Sp. Ed.	23	27	27	27	25	4
TOTALS	2531	2715	2774	2802	2728	2584

ENROLLMENT CHART - OCTOBER 1, 1973

GRADE	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	P.G.	Sp. Ed.	TOTAL
Doyon	69	64	84	87	89	85	78								4	560
Burley	41	47	52	42												182
Shatswell	21	61	42	55												179
Boone Hall	34	25	20	24												103
Baptist					48											48
Winthrop					105	134	154									393
Junior High								202	214							416
Senior High										177	171	174	180	1		703
TOTAL	165	197	198	208	242	219	232	202	214	177	171	174	180	1	4	2584

EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES ISSUED TO MINORS - 1973

	Age 14-16	Age 16-18	Total
Boys	13	50	63
Girls	14	60	74

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS



(House of Hinlin)

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

John H. Stella

On October 1, 1973 the total school enrollment was 2584, a decrease of 143 as compared to October 1, 1972.

Whittier Regional School became operational in September, 1973 and 110 Ipswich students transferred to that school. Whittier accommodates Grades 9-12 students and operates a post-secondary two year program.

During the past year, due to decreasing enrollments the teaching staff was reduced by six. However, several new professional staff members were added to strengthen various curriculum areas. They are as follows:

- 1 Full-time Physical Education Teacher for the Ralph C. Whipple Memorial School
- 1 Full-time Instrumental Music Teacher for the Ralph C. Whipple Memorial School
- 1 Full-time Vocal Music Teacher for the High School
- 1 Part-time Instrumental Teacher for the Elementary Schools
- 1 2 days-per-week Teacher for the Physically Handicapped children (50% reimbursable)
- 1 additional Aide has been authorized for the Burley-Boone Hall Schools.

The School Committee in view of the loss of students to the Whittier School and a slight reduction in the elementary enrollments authorized the reduction of six teachers. They also authorized a reduction of two cafeteria workers. This was carried out by the Administration.

The 18 month budget beginning January 1, 1973, and ending June 30, 1974, was a monumental undertaking both for the School Committee and the Administration. The Finance Committee liaison member was present at many of the budget sessions and numerous conferences were held by the Superintendent of Schools and the Chairman of the Finance Committee.

At town meeting time, however, the Finance Committee recommended a reduction of the school budget by \$84,000.00. The Town Meeting upheld this recommendation and a Petition in Equity was brought before the Essex Superior Court by 19 taxpayers.

After lengthy litigation, Judge Paul Sullivan, Associate Justice of the Superior Court, ruled in the Petitioners' favor and \$56,478.81 was restored to the School Budget. In addition, the judge ruled that \$14,119.70 be added to the \$56,478.81 resulting in a total of \$70,598.51 which was restored to the school budget.

As a result of the opinion the fiscal autonomy of the School Committee was upheld in accordance with Chapter 71, Section 34 of the General Laws.

The school department is still renting the basement of the Baptist Church to educate 48 elementary children for which we pay \$4,000.00 rent. The church authorities have proposed an increase in this rent for the 1974-75 school year. We are also renting Boone Hall to educate over 100 children. The rent is \$7,000.00 per year and the church authorities are requesting the fee to be \$9,000.00 for the 1974-75 year.

The School Building Needs Committee has been reactivated. Some new members have been added and meetings have been held regularly in an attempt to solve the school housing problem.

The School Committee voted unanimously to move in the direction of providing a new elementary school and this consensus is guiding the School Building Needs Committee in its deliberations.

I extend to the School Committee my sincere appreciation for their dedication and interest and many hours spent in providing the best possible education for our students.

I extend to all school personnel my sincere appreciation for their excellent cooperation and finally I extend deep appreciation to all the town agencies for their excellent cooperation with the schools.

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL



HIGH SCHOOL

Joseph Rogers, Principal

Enrollment as of October 1, 1973

701

Enrollment as of June, 1973

768

The opening of Whittier Vocational Technical School somewhat eliminated the over crowding condition at the high school. However, loss of pupils to Whittier did not have the impact we had anticipated since many returned. Nevertheless we did eliminate the extended day and the full Open Campus Program.

For all intents and purposes our Open Campus Program is defunct, mostly due to not having an advisor. While we received much criticism of the program it served, and should still be serving, a very important function in our total school curriculum.

Our staff has been reduced as our pupil population is reduced. However, there is still a great need for growth and improvement in the area of Fine Arts. This can only be done by the addition of a new facility — hopefully an addition to the school to accommodate Music, Art, Drama, and Theatre Arts. Our existing makeshift operation has merely whetted the appetites of our pupils to explore the Arts.

Buildings

Two rooms were divided to provide necessary space for teaching pupils with specific learning disabilities. As the state moves toward mandating that all pupils age 3 through 21 be educated our space problem will once more be very acute. One of the divided rooms has provided space to accommodate a mathematics laboratory. This houses calculators and various supplementary math materials, and is manned every period by a math teacher who provides instruction, extra help, and direction in proper use of the equipment.

The building continues to receive full use both day, night, and weekends. Our Adult Education Program has grown and is caring for the needs of our adult community.

In June of 1973 Miss Helen Brown retired after 32 years of exemplary service to the youth of Ipswich. Ipswich owes a debt of gratitude to Miss Brown for her unselfish dedication to our children.

Conclusions

1. The elimination of the extended day has brought our pupils and faculty into a more cohesive unit, and we are now functioning as such. It is a pleasure to administer a school under these conditions — however, overcrowding is still with us.

2. Certain additions to our physical plant must be built to accommodate the need and growth in Art, Music, Drama-Theatre Arts, plus Physical Education and Athletics.

3. Additional land adjacent to the school should be purchased to prepare for the eventual expansion of our school.

4. Whittier Voke Tech should serve a real purpose in caring for the vocational needs of our students and I.H.S. should become a more comprehensive high school.



WHIPPLE MEMORIAL JR. HIGH



R. C. WHIPPLE MEMORIAL JR. HIGH SCHOOL

John Huttenan, Principal

Enrollment

The enrollment figures for 1973-74 as of October 1, 1973 are as follows:

Grade 7	202
Grade 8	214
Total	416

Extra Personnel

Beginning in September of this school year an additional staff member was added to our music department to handle instrumental music. For the first time in a number of years a full time band instructor is being provided at our school. A band has once again been organized and students are in addition given individual instrumental lessons. We have been pleased

that this void has been filled and that the students have been making excellent progress.

In addition, our two part time physical education instructors were assigned on a full time basis at the junior high level. Also, this has enabled us to expand our physical education program to include health, safety and first aid instruction.

Foreign Language — The introduction of Spanish to the program in 1972 has proven to be successful. Again, another change was made this year so that we expanded our language instruction to four times a week vs. three times a week as it was in the past.

Science — The ISCS science program has been expanded to the eighth grade this year. This lab orientated program has been well received by the teachers and students. Parents are invited to visit the classrooms to observe this individualized approach to the teaching of science.

Theater Production — I would like to commend the students and faculty members who have been involved in our annual musical presentations. Last spring the students performed "Sound of Music". This spring plans are being made to present "Music Man". Even though the cast and advisors work under less than satisfactory conditions their presentations have become one of the highlights of our school year. Hopefully, in the future, better facilities will be made available for dramatic presentations in our community.

Evaluation — In January 1974 a visiting team of twenty educators will conduct an intensive three day evaluation of our school. We are one of the few junior high schools in the area to avail themselves of the evaluation services provided by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. A complete written evaluation of our strengths and weaknesses will be made available to the staff, administration, and community in the spring of 1974.

DOYON MEMORIAL SCHOOL

PAUL F. DOYON MEMORIAL SCHOOL

William E. Waitt, Jr., Principal

In 1973, our eighth year as a school, provided many opportunities for challenge. Growing student population, changing staff, spiraling costs, sickness, increasing special needs demands, and growing public use of our facilities, combine with exciting educational changes involving curriculum and the development of individualized instruction, to make each day an invigorating experience for both administration and staff.

Organization

The school continues to operate as a seven year (K-6) elementary school, with three sections of each grade, and with three rooms devoted to serving children



with special needs. Enrollment from January to June averaged 542 students.

In September we began with a record enrollment of 562 students. As the year ends, we continue to support the largest student to teacher classes in the system.

Teaching Personnel

Doyon School has a staff of 36 full and part time professionals, which include 18 tenure teachers, 4 tenure candidates, 6 second year teachers and eight first year teachers. Average experience is 7 1/3 years.

General

Work continued in developing an individualized program in reading, math and science. We continued to supplement the staff with student teachers from Gordon College, Salem State College and with parent volunteers.

Parents are more involved in our schools with a large number serving as volunteers in our library and in many primary classrooms. Our Parent Advisory Committee continues to be a positive group, giving advice on our progress and aid in determining our direction.

WINTHROP AND BAPTIST SCHOOLS



WINTHROP AND BAPTIST SCHOOLS

Samuel B. Levy, Principal

Organization

The Winthrop-Baptist Schools house four classes of grade four, five of grade five and six classes of grade six at Winthrop and two classes of grade four at the Baptist School. At the end of the year the Winthrop had 396 students and Baptist 48 students. The Winthrop resource center serves both of the schools and includes a library with reference works, general reading material and film, audio and visual material available for individual and group research work. The center is manned by a shared librarian and a corps of dedicated volunteer workers.

The school day is 6 hours and 15 minutes. Class "A" lunches are served. Bus transportation is provided for 222 students or 50% of the student body.

Many civic, church and private groups avail themselves of the opportunity to use our facilities and equipment after school, evenings and week-ends. Included in these groups are Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Coast Guard Auxiliary, Square Dance Clubs, Greek School classes, Conservation Groups and fund-raising car wash activities.

Curriculum

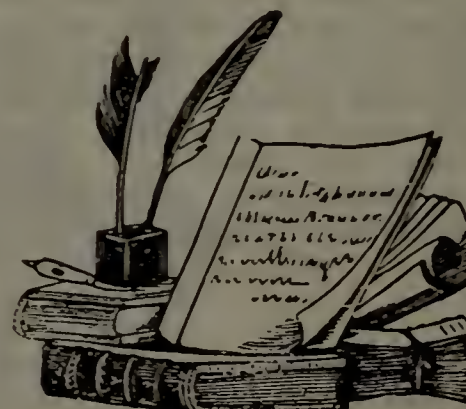
The schools provide a standard elementary school curriculum with a flexible structure. Innovative and imaginative approaches to the curriculum are employed to enliven students' interest in their education. Specialists operate in the areas of art, music and physical education. Instrumental music lessons are provided for 175 students. An active chorus meets weekly. Provisions are made for students in the area of specific learning disabilities and speech therapy. A Title I Project provides three trained teacher aides to work in the area of learning disabilities and one in the area of mathematics.

Teaching Personnel

In addition to the classroom teachers, the staff includes vocal music, instrumental and art specialists, a full time physical education teacher, a full time specific learning disabilities specialist, full time guidance counselor, a part-time guidance specialist and a consulting psychologist.

Many staff members are active in post graduate work. The entire staff is involved in scheduled workshops in the areas of curriculum development and the various disciplines.

A nurse, a secretary, two full-time custodians, two lunchroom aides and three cafeteria workers complete the Winthrop School staff plus a lunchroom aide and custodian shared with other schools service the Baptist School.



BURLEY, SHATSWELL AND BOONE HALL SCHOOL

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Marcia J. Fowler, Principal

Burley, Shatswell and Boone Hall Schools serve a total of 464 primary students. Together they are staffed by twenty classroom teachers and thirteen teaching specialists. The specialists provide direct instruction and services to students as well as assistance to classroom teachers in planning daily group and individual activities.

Our primary school philosophy emphasizes the uniqueness of the individual and continuous progress. Each child is encouraged to develop as fully as possible his own particular gifts and to apply his special skills in ways which best serve any group of which he is a part. Likewise his particular academic, social, physical, and emotional needs are constantly re-evaluated and prescribed for by the staff so that all of his school experiences may focus on helping him grow as a productive, skillful, and confident individual. This focus has necessarily led to a high degree of individualization and personalization in instruction. Learning tasks are designed to match the learning rate and style of individual children.

The results of our team effort to establish meaningful placement for each child within realistic and harmonious classroom groups have been especially effective. Parents, teachers, specialists, guidance counselors and the principal were all a part of this placement process. The strengths and needs of each child, together with the dynamics of the total

classroom group were carefully considered.

Because we also recognize teachers as unique individuals who function most effectively in the type of classroom organization which capitalizes upon their particular strengths, classroom structure and style throughout the three schools is varied. Boone Hall is comprised of a morning and afternoon kindergarten class and one class each of grades one, two and three. Shatswell School has one kindergarten class, one first grade, two first/second and four second/third grade combination classes. Burley School has two kindergarten classes, two first, two second, and two third grade classes plus one second/third grade combination.

An exceptionally low teacher turnover this year has enhanced continuity. While new programs are constantly being evaluated, the primary goal this year is in refining, personalizing, and "localizing" the many exciting and progressive curriculum designs which have been introduced during the past two or three years.

We have encouraged parent involvement in a tutorial role, in sharing specialized knowledge of hobbies or occupations with classroom groups, and in Parent Advisory Council discussions and programs. The response is encouraging, an example being the hard-working volunteer crews who assisted the Recreation Department in installing playground equipment at the Burley and Shatswell Schools.

DIRECTOR OF CURRICULUM

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The major thrust in the area of curriculum has been toward the coordination of activities in all disciplines, the improvement of lines of communication and on continuous evaluation of materials most appropriate for effective learning for our students from Kindergarten to grade twelve.

Effort has also been extended in order to involve the community in establishing goals and curricular strategies. Exploration in the area of career education resulted in a careful needs assessment and the development of a ninth grade pilot program about careers. These were the results of the combined effort of teachers, administrators, students, and local community representatives. The committee is working toward a total K-12 program geared to meet the needs of our student body and consistent with our rapidly changing society.

Another example of such effort is in the area of the arts. The art and music teachers have been meeting on a regular basis in order to provide for a carefully articulated K-12

arts curriculum. A local committee entitled Friends of the Arts is working with the teachers in order to take advantage of local talent and to assist in the program development as well.

The formulation of individual school parent advisory committees and the Title I parent advisory committee is providing an open forum for communication and the exchange of information about our school program and school and community educational needs.

Summer workshops and on-going in-service activities have involved our teachers in establishing a K-12 language arts philosophy and guidelines, in the development of a K-8 guide including specific performance objectives and a cumulative record card that will facilitate the individualization of instruction, a complete individualized science program (ISCS) at the seventh and eighth grade levels, two new humanities programs at the high school level, and a new design for a business education program which will be operational in 1974-1975. A reading course taught by our own reading specialists provided opportunities for our subject matter specialists and general classroom teachers to consider those reading skills necessary for instruction in all disciplinary areas.

Curriculum development is a never-ending task as new techniques and strategies for learning are identified. Concomitant with the need to examine and assess these new ideas are newly emerging educational needs which become apparent as our society continues to be evermore complex. The same kind of careful evaluation and cooperative endeavor as we have had in Ipswich during this past year will continue to provide us with a base for the most meaningful learning experiences for our students.

As I am completing my first year in Ipswich, I wish to take this opportunity to personally thank Mr. Stella, our school superintendent, our teachers and administrators, our students, the members of our school committee and the community of Ipswich as each has provided support and assistance in assessing our needs and in developing appropriate goals for improved instruction.

PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES



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Joseph J. Battaglio, Director

The emergence of new legislation pertaining to the education of children with special needs necessitated a re-assessment of present programs and needs. The new law, Chapter 766, fixes responsibility for meeting the special needs of children at the school district level. School committees must develop a mechanism for identifying, screening and evaluating children who, because of temporary or more permanent adjustment difficulties, are unable to progress effectively in a regular education program and require special education. The age range covered runs from pre-school (age 3) to post-school (age 21).

School committees must make available a full range of program types to implement education plans for children evaluated, as prescribed by the evaluation team.

The implications of this legislation for cities and towns is enormous. It constitutes a re-direction of educational resources from the needs of the so-called normal school population to a more equitable distribution of resources for all children. It necessitates large fiscal appropriations for staff and programs by each school district, much of which will return later in the form of re-imbursements; and it calls for space to house programs and personnel.

In Ipswich, our assessment revealed both strengths and deficiencies. It is to our credit that because of a traditional sensitivity to the needs of all children, Ipswich has a long head start in meeting the requirements of the new law. Nevertheless, as the

up-coming budget deliberations will show, we fall short in certain areas. While all needed programs are to some degree in existence, the delivery of services to all students and children needing them is, in several instances, inadequate. Our objective in the coming year will be to extend special needs programs to all levels of the school system, in this way making services available to all school-age children with special needs.

Pre-school programs, and programs for students beyond school age, will be delayed until the needy population in each category is identified.



HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Jo Ann Amatucci
 * Sandra Young Benedetto
 * Therese Ann Bolduc
 * Sarah Frances Bourque
 Elizabeth Marie Brown
 †* Hollie Jean Bucklin
 Michele Adair Burr ridge
 Teresa Diane Calabro
 Pamela Diane Campbell
 Sarah Gail Capers
 Patricia Jean Conley
 †* Robin Ann De Angelis
 Lee Ann Taylor Cook
 Patricia Louise Desmond
 Cathryn Joanne Dodge
 Vanessa Eileen Douglas
 †* Laura Ellen Fidrocki
 * Susan Mary Ford
 Amy Brooks Frost
 Linda Marie Gallant
 Dawn Elizabeth Geanakakis
 Nancy Ann Gray
 * Eileen Heigh
 * Patricia Ann Hein
 Joanne Vivian Hetnar
 Peggy Louise Howarth
 Jennifer Marie Johnson
 * Pamela Eve Johnstone
 Iris Kapsalis
 †* Lorry Sue Klosowski
 Carlene P. La Foe
 Ellin B. Logan
 Margaret MacMillan
 Andrea MacWhinnie Mercier
 * Maureen Carol Maney
 Jan Therese Marcaurelle
 * Cheryl Ann Martel
 Denyse Rose Masse
 Lauren Lockhart McLoon
 †* Dieuwke Anne Messelaar
 Sheila A. Mitchell
 * Robin Taylor Morang
 + Robin Adria Morgan
 Theresa Marie Moscarillo
 †* Debra Ann Mulley
 Carol Nylen
 Ann Norma O'Neil
 †* Katherine D. Parker
 Marie Claire Prisby
 Maura Patricia Quinn
 Linda Marie Ragosta
 Debra Ann Rauscher
 Paula Jeanne Riddle
 Lynda Renee Rieman
 Nancy Anita Shaw
 †* Linda Marie Siemasko
 Virginia C. Slysz

Janet Smith
 * Sharra Elizabeth Chevalier Smith
 Elizabeth Diane Allen Snow
 Betty Jean Sotioropoulos
 * Paula Sue Speakman
 Sandra Jean Stamatakos
 Rebecca Ellen Thatcher
 Martha Jean Thibault
 Ann Elizabeth Thimmer
 Jean Ann Thurber
 Gudrun Trestl
 * Paula Jean Van Horn
 †* Phyllis Jayne Viladenis
 Susan Marie Vincent
 Susan Elizabeth Waitt
 * Anne Marie Wallace
 Katherine Elizabeth Wallace
 Katherine Ellen Wanzer
 Rebecca R. Whitcomb
 * Kimberly White
 †* Wendy Ann White
 Deborah Ann Wile
 Deborah L. Wynaught
 Andrew William Alexson, Jr.
 Paul E. Amundsen
 John James Arvanites
 * Jon Clark Atherton
 Stephen John Barton
 John Emery Bartlett, Jr.
 Brian L. Benjamin
 Dean C. Black
 * Scott Perkins Bouranis
 David Allen Bowen
 Bruce Dana Brigham
 + John Joseph Bruni
 Mark Stanley Butterfield
 Chester George Brockelbank III
 Scott William Camacho
 Paul Robert Castori
 Darryl Vincent Chiappini
 * Robert E. Clark, Jr.
 * Daniel E. Clasby
 * David James Anthony Clemeno
 Philip Andrew Colbert
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 Mark William Collyer
 Michael Edward Como
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 Freeman I. Corkum, Jr.
 Steven Wayne Crawford
 * Roger H. Day
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 Timothy William Demakis
 Matthew Thomas Desmond
 Richard Kenneth Dorr, Jr.
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 Michael Joseph Dudzisz
 Robert Michael Duff

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 Roger Dean Fowler
 Glenn Allen Foster
 Joseph Walter Gajewski
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 * Benjamin Mark Gorniewicz
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 Emilio Patricio Abad Herrera
 Edward P. Hetnar, Jr.
 Daniel Edward Hickling
 Bruce A. Jacobson
 †* Eric David Jewett
 * Ronald Philip Jodz
 Keith Michael Jones
 Richard H. Jordan
 Donald Michael Kent
 Lee Edward Kirkland
 Paul Henry Kirwin, Jr.
 * Richard J. Kline
 David Michael Kmiec
 Bruce Gerard Kotek
 David B. Ladd
 Gerard J. Landry
 * John Roger La Plante
 Daniel Edward Laterowicz
 Vincent A. Lopes
 * Wayne Anthony Mackey
 Thomas John Marr
 + Peter James Martel
 Robert Colin Martel
 William Jason Martel
 John Walter Mroszczyk
 Robert F. Mullen
 Richard Michael Murawski
 Joel F. Ogren
 + Jonathan Olech
 * Donald Allan Paquin
 Jonathan S. Perley
 Bradley M. Poirier
 Paul Edward Radzinski
 †* Stephen Barrett Robie
 * David R. Savage, Jr.
 Frank Hamilton Shaw
 Warren Alan Smith
 Nathan Thomas Szaryc
 Albert Anthony Ventresca, Jr.
 Timothy H. Walsh
 Jeffrey Alan Weagle
 Paul Frank Wegzyn
 Peter Joseph Wegzyn
 Michael J. Wysocki
 Gary C. Zabelski
 Richard Alan Ziemiak

* Honors

† Member of National Honor Society

+ In absentia

GENERAL INFORMATION

POLICE EMERGENCY 356-4343
 FIRE EMERGENCY 356-4321

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 Payment of Taxes
 Payment of Water and Light Bills
 Billing, Water and Light
 Birth, Death, Marriage Certificates
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 Cemeteries
 Civil Defense
 Dog, Hunting, Fishing Licenses
 Education Information
 Elections, Voting, Registration
 Electric
 Engineering
 Fire, Routine
 Health, Sanitation, Rubbish, Garbage
 Highway and Streets
 Library
 Licensing Authority
 Oil Burner Permits
 Permits for Burning
 Permits for Large Quantity Dumping
 Recreation
 Schools

Sewer
 Veteran's Services
 Water Problems
 Youth

MEETINGS

Annual Town Meeting
 Annual Town Election
 Conservation Commission
 Finance Committee
 Board of Health
 Library Trustees
 Planning Board
 Recreation & Parks Com.
 School Committee
 Selectmen
 Historical Commission
 Cemetery Commission
 Housing Authority
 Shellfish Advisory Com.
 Youth Commission

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 Town Clerk's Office 356-4161
 School Superintendent 356-2935
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 Fire Department 356-4322
 Board of Health 356-4900
 Public Works Dept. 356-5591
 Librarian 356-4646
 Board of Selectmen 356-2262
 Fire Chief 356-4322
 Fire Department 356-4322
 Board of Health 356-4900
 Recreation and Parks 356-3767
 Burley School 356-2666
 High School 356-3137
 Junior High School 356-3535
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 Shatswell School 356-2312
 Winthrop School 356-2976
 Nurse 356-5507
 356-3535
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 Veteran's Agent 356-3915
 Public Works Dept. 356-5591
 Drop In Center 356-0312

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DAY & TIME

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 2nd Tues. of ea. mo.
 3rd Mon. of ea. mo.
 Every other Tues.
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 1st & 3rd Thurs. of ea. mo.
 Every Monday
 2nd & 4th Wed. of ea. mo.
 1st Fri. of ea. mo.
 2nd Tues. of ea. mo.
 3rd Wed. of ea. mo.
 2nd & 4th Tues. of ea. mo.

PLACE

High School
 Precinct Polling Place
 Town Hall
 Payne School
 Town Hall
 Library
 Town Hall
 Memorial Bldg.
 To Be Announced
 Court Room
 Town Hall
 Cemetery Office
 Community Bldg. Caroline Ave.
 Town Hall
 Town Hall

IPSWICH AT A GLANCE

Town of Ipswich, Massachusetts in Essex County

Founded 1633 — Incorporated 1634

Ipswich is in the 6th Congressional District

Our Representative is Michael J. Harrington (D)

Ipswich is in the 3rd Senatorial District

Our Senator is William L. Saltonstall (R)

Ipswich is in the 2nd Essex District

Our Representative in General Court is David J. Lane (R)

The Annual Town Meeting is on the first Monday in March at the High School

The Annual Elections are on the second Monday in March at each Precinct Place

- Government: Selectmen-Town Manager Charter — New England Town Meeting
- Location: Centrally Located on Massachusetts' North Shore — 35 Miles N.E. of Boston - Driving Time 45 minutes.
- Area: 33.35 square miles — 21,344 acres
- Geographical Center: Pedrick House, corner of Jeffrey's Neck Road and Ocean Drive
- Population: (1971) 11,188
- Transportation: Boston & Maine R.R. - Frequent Rail service - Train time to Boston 50 Min. - U.S. Route 1, U.S. Route 1A - Harbor Facilities - Taxi Service
- Tax Rate: \$55.00 - All homes are assessed at approximately 70% of fair market Value
- Total Value: 1973 Real Estate \$67,789,006 - Personal Property \$1,635,893 (Total \$69,424,899)
- Number of Accounts - Approximately 4,600
- Fire Dept.: Full-time 18 man force - 27 call man force - equipment including one new 100' Aerial ladder truck
- Police Dept: Full-time 18 man force - 20 man auxiliary force - 3 radio equipped cruisers - 1 inspector
- Water: To most of Town
- Sewer: To part of Town
- Electricity: Municipal Plant to whole Town.
- Gas: To 75% of Town
- Recreational Facilities: Supervised Playgrounds - Summer Swimming Instructions - Tennis Courts - Softball Diamonds - Baseball Diamonds - Public Beaches on Seashore - Ponds for Ice Skating (some are lighted) - 9 hole Golf Course - Boat Club - Yacht Club - Wildlife Sanctuary - Salt & Fresh Water Fishing - Movie Theatre - 16 Lane Bowling Alley - Pool & Billiards - Golden Age Club - Teen Drop In Center.
- Zoning: Protection by adequate zoning and planning regulations insures controlled growth of residential, commercial and industrial areas.
- Housing: 3 Projects (144 units providing for low income families and Elderly Citizens)
- Schools: 4 Elementary Schools (2 Auxiliary Buildings) - Jr. High School - High School - Pupil/Teacher Ratio 19.57-1 - Special Classes for Retarded or emotionally disturbed educable - Classes for Perceptually handicapped - Kindergartens - Comprehensive program of evening classes for adults.
- Churches: 2 Baptist - 3 Catholic - 1 Christian Science - 1 Congregational - 1 Episcopal - 1 Greek Orthodox - 1 Methodist
- Medical Facilities: 12 Physicians - 6 Dentists, - 45 Bed Hospital - Visiting Nurses - Convalescent Homes - Ambulance Service - 2 Pharmacies - (1 Veterinarian)
- Shopping: Good Facilities in Center of Town - New shopping center - Antique Shops - Apparel Stores - Auto Body & Supply Shops - Banks - Beauty Shops (Barber shops & Hair Stylists) - Building Supplies - Cleaners - Gift Shops - Grocery Stores (fruit & vegetable stands) - Hardware Stores - Jewelers - Laundromats - Pharmacies - Restaurants - Service Stations - Sport Shops - Variety Stores and many more.
- Public Library: 53,500 volume library - open 6 days a week - Micro filmed data - Audio/Visual Equipment
- Health: Dump open 7 days a week - Rubbish Collection Weekly - Garbage Collection Weekly in winter twice in summer - Ambulance Service
- News: Two Weekly Newspapers - Represented in three daily papers - Represented by 2 radio stations
- Industry: Sylvania - Five Major Shellfish Plants - Monument Manufacturing - Wholesale Fruit Business - Several Wood-working establishments.

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Health Agent
April 02, 1973*



*Roland Bowen
Recreation - Parks
February, 1972*



*John Vincent Hubbard
Selectmen
February 02, 1973*



*Armand Brouillette
School Department
February 07, 1973*



*Samuel Lavoie
Water Department
June 23, 1973*



*Richard W. Davis
Finance Committee
July 21, 1973*



*James D. Reilly
Treasurer
August 08, 1973*



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November 01, 1973*

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